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EASTERN DATES TO SEPT 13.

Russia Austria and Italy Ask for an Armistice

Berlin Sept 12 Italy Austria and Russia agree in principal and have submitted Russia ... that effect have been telegraphed to Berlin ... answer yet

England Undecided Jules Favre Expected in London

... Sept 12 The statement of the ... that England ... is an armistice ... be asked ... the ... at present terms ... but no unasked ... intelligence ... final

Prussian Official Reports

Berlin September 12—The official report of the capitulation ... states that ... number of prisoners taken at 127,000 ... have arrived since the opening of the railways and all dead on the fields have been buried

Berlin September 12 The King sent a dispatch to the Queen dated 12 P M Sunday saying the citadel of Laon exploded after the surrender just as the Prussians were entering. Many were killed including 200 of the Mobile Guard. Many were shockingly mutilated. William of Mecklenburg was wounded. There must be treason

London Dispatches

London September 12—Six French ironclads were seen off Goodwins to-day. Their course was southwest.

London September 12 Agents have arrived here from Berlin who ... are seeking ... of the Prussian loan in the market

Gladstone is alarmed at the spread of republicanism in England

Siege of Strasburg

London Sept 12—The Times special from Carlsruhe Sept 8th says the Strasburg besieging army is constantly being reinforced and numbers nearly 100,000. The sorties of the defenders are desperate and futile. Batteries are being rapidly completed and heavier guns placed in the nearest parallels

Guerrilla Warfare

French sharpshooters are doing much mischief on the upper railway between Basle and Freiburg. They fired rapidly at the ... passenger train ... and wounded

Germans Expelled from France Cruelties of the French

8,000 Germans who had been expelled from France made for Carlsruhe. They are working men and were compelled to leave. They were disgracefully treated while passing through France. Women and children were deprived of food and transported in open cattle cars. Drenched and insulted they arrived here nearly dead

The Pope Coming to England

The Pope has sent a protest to the powers against the occupation of his territory but will not resist with arms. He is coming to England in a British frigate and ... is making preparations for his reception

Massacre of Missionaries in China

There has been another massacre of missionaries in China

General Details of War News.

All the bridges around Paris have been blown up

It is asserted that McMahon wished to retreat, but was prevented by Palikao's order. He will justify himself to the public when he recovers from his wounds

Four Generals one Colonel and five Commanding officers are to be sent to Germany for fortresses for refusing to sign the capitulation at Sedan

It is stated that Bazaine not only refused to capitulate when informed that the Emperor and McMahon's army were prisoners and when the Emperor advised the surrender of Metz but declared in a towering passion that he would not respect Napoleon's wishes and would shoot any French officer advising such surrender

It is believed that Russia and Austria have suspended all overtures and will not stir for the Republic

The Baltic Blockade Ineffectual

The Baltic blockade is ineffectual. Vessels enter and leave Danzic and Konigsberg freely. The French fleet have great difficulty in obtaining coal as the expense is great. The blockade will probably be abandoned soon

Paris Sept 12 At 10 this morning a heavy skirmish took place between the Sixth squadron of French dragoons which garrisoned Chateau Thierry and the Prussian advance guard. The latter was repulsed

The Revolution in Italy

London Sept 12—An outbreak is reported in the province of Viterbo. The people surrounded the Papal Zouaves in their entrenchments and threatened to attack them. Order was restored in the name of the King of Italy

The Roman Question to be Decided by the People

The Times special says arrangements for the occupation of Papal territory have been agreed to. A plebiscitum is to be taken by which the inhabitants are to decide for the Pope or King as civil ruler; the decision to be binding on both. Meantime Italian troops will hold Roman territory till the voting is over and if the result is adverse to the King they will withdraw. Many of the towns of the Papal States have already proclaimed a provisional government. The Ministry is discouraged

Heavy Failure in New York and Boston

New York Sept 1—The suspension of Frances Skinner & Co of New York and Boston wholesale commission dealers is announced. Liabilities stated at four to five millions dollars. It is reported that they will pay fifty cents on the dollar. The cause of the failure is said to be speculation in railroad stocks

The Oregon Mail Contract Let to Hill Beachy

Washington Sept 12 The mail route from Oroville California to Portland Oregon to be transported daily by stages for a distance 600 miles has been finally contracted for with Hill Beachy for $1?,000 per annum. He received the contract because those bidding below him failed after ... of the ... by the Post-office Department ... responsible bonds

THE TERRITORIES

In Whatcom county W T settlers are building dykes to reclaim tide lands

Beriah Brown has again started ... of the Olympia ... He seems to think that he has at last found his destiny

The Montana ... is the model paper of that Territory. Few papers anywhere ... so complete a view of what ... about them

In Blackfoot City on the 10th ... says the ... a couple of belligerent ... had arranged all the preliminaries of a duel when officers of the law interfered and bound ... over to keep the peace

New gold diggings have been found ... a tributary of the Boulder in Jefferson county Montana called Beaver creek ... It is said to yield from three ... cents to the pan. Over 100 claims have been taken

As viewed from the ... water says a Montana paper near ... head there is one ... mountain range which particularly attracts the attention of the traveler. Its summit ... covered with snow presents the exact outlines ... impressing the beholder ... of a departed god

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The French war correspondents appear to be sharing very largely in the dangers they record. Katrow of the ... was wounded. Cardan of the ... and Chabrillat of the ... were taken prisoners and owe the good treatment they received to the Duke of Saxe-Coburg. Claretie and About narrowly escaped the Prussian rifle balls and it is feared that D'Avian de ... of the ... is a prisoner

THE OREGON LEGISLATURE

Sixth Biennial Session

SENATE.—Afternoon Session

... Sept 1 ...

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P M President Burch in the chair

James D Fay from the Committee on Credentials stated that the Committee were not ready to report and asked further time which was granted

Senate ... until 2½ P M

On reassembling the Committee on Credentials reported that the following gentlemen were elected to the Senate: Baker county A H Brown; Douglas ... James ... Jackson ... Lane ... Marion ... Davenport ... J W Jaldwin ... Llewellen

Your Committee report the following named gentlemen entitled to seats ... holding over from last session: Clackamas D P Thompson ... Coos and Curry C M Pershbaker ... Josephine ... Holtzclaw ... Lane ... B Cochran ... Multnomah ... Stout ... Union J Hendershott ... Wasco Victor Trevitt ... Washington ... Columbia Clatsop and Tillamook T R Cornelius ... Polk B F Burch

Your Committee further report that in the county of Benton A M Witham and R S Strahan were opposing candidates at the election held in the State of Oregon on the sixth day of June 1870 for the office of State Senator and that A M Witham has received a certificate of election. R S Strahan appearing as a contestant for the seat on the grounds of illegal and fraudulent votes cast for the person holding the certificate

In Douglas county at the last general election there was an election held for State Senator. L F Mosher received a majority of the votes cast. Binger Herman appears on the record as the sitting member by virtue of an election held in 1868. Mr Mosher claims that the seat of Mr Herman was vacated by his acceptance of the office of Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue a Federal office and that the election in June 1870 was held to fill vacancy thereby created

From the county of Yamhill J W Watts appears as the holder of a certificate of election and W T Newby appears as a contestant for the seat on the ground of illegal and fraudulent votes cast for the person holding the certificate

We recommend that B Herman as holding over J W Watts and A M Witham as Senators from ... hill and Benton counties respectively holding certificates be entitled to seats until their rights to the same be decided otherwise and that L F Mosher W T Newby and R S Strahan be admitted to seats within the bar of the Senate until the contests be decided

[Signed] JAMES D FAY Chairman
T R CORNELIUS
R B COCHRAN

The report was adopted

OFFICERS ELECT ...

Mr Hendershott offered S R No 1 to appoint a Committee to request the Secretary of State to administer the oath to the new members. Adopted

Messrs Hendershott Powell and Baldwin were appointed and the oath was administered by the Secretary

Mr Baldwin of Grant offered S R No 2 that the Senate proceed to the election of officers

Mr Hendershott nominated James D Fay of Jackson for President. Mr Fay received 20 votes being all present except himself he voting for T R Cornelius of Washington

Mr Fay on taking the chair said I am deeply indebted to you for the honor ... conferred and I shall rely on your forbearance rather than on my own ability in discharging the duties of the trust you have reposed in me

S C Simpson of Marion was elected Secretary receiving 14 votes to 7 cast for C P Church of Marion

J M Packard of Wasco was elected Assistant receiving 19 votes 2 blank

J Holt ... of Multnomah was elected Sergeant at Arms by the unanimous vote of ...

J Moore of Polk was elected Doorkeeper receiving 20 votes to 1 blank

The officers were sworn in by the Secretary of State

[The Engrossing Enrolling and Judiciary Clerks will be chosen by those Committees respectively when appointed —REPORTER

HOUSE NOTIFIED THAT THE SENATE IS ORGANIZED

S R No 3 offered by Mr Baldwin was adopted that the Secretary of the Senate notify the House that the Senate is organized and ready to proceed to business

S R No 4 offered by Mr Hendershott inviting reporters to within the bar was adopted

A motion of Mr Pershbaker to adjourn until to morrow morning at 10 o'clock was lost

On motion of Mr Trevitt the rules of the last session were adopted

A motion of Mr Cornelius to adjourn until to morrow at 10 A M was lost

At the request of Mr Cochran leave of absence was granted Dr Crawford until noon on Wednesday next

The Sergeant at Arms was authorized to employ a page at a salary not exceeding $50 for the term

Mr Trevitt offered S R No 5—that the Democratic members of this body extend their thanks to the opposition for supporting the nominees of the Democratic caucus. Not seconded

A LIVELY RELIGIOUS DISCUSSION

Mr Herman offered S R No 5 to invite the clergy of the State to officiate at the opening session of the Senate

Mr Trevitt—As there are several clergymen present I move we have our own prayers. Not seconded

Mr Thompson moved to amend so as to include the clergymen of the city

Mr Trevitt moved an amendment to the amendment requiring the clergy to possess a good moral character

The amendments were lost and the resolution adopted

Mr Trevitt wanted to pay clergymen ten dollars per diem as he did not want to be prayed for for nothing

Senate adjourned until to morrow at 10 A M

HOUSE—Afternoon Session

House met at three P M Mr Alexander in the chair

MEMBERS ELECT

Mr Savage from the Committee on Credentials reported the following gentlemen as entitled to seats in the House

Marion County ... W Davenport ... R ... Harrison ... W ... Dunbar ... Hunan

Linn County Geo R Helm W F Alexander Thomas Munkers John Ostrander W S Elkins

Lane County John Whiteaker ... B Durris James ... Ams

Douglas County James H ... R M Caldwell, Charles Drain

Jackson County Jackson Rader James Wells A J Burnett

Josephine County—A Waldron

Coos and Curry County ...

Benton County W J Dunn W ... Kelly

Polk County ... Comegys

Yamhill County Lee Laughlin Al Hussey

Washington County W D Hare W A Mills

Columbia Clatsop and Tillamook County ... ey

Multnomah County—J W Whalley Dan Regan ... Quimby ... Carson

Clackamas County W A Starkweather J ... Apperson Peter Paquet

Wasco County—James Fulton A D Savage

Baker County—...

Baker and Union County J R McLean

Umatilla County J ... Thompson ... A De Shell

Grant County J M McCoy W H Clark

Union County J F ... Hunter

The Committee also report that ... the members from Clackamas Benton and Yamhill counties, will be contested

TAKING THE OATH

Mr Whiteaker I move that the Secretary of State be invited to administer the oath of office to the members

The motion prevailed and Hon S E May appeared on the floor of the House and the members rising in their places he administered to them the following oath: You ... solemnly swear that you will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Oregon and that you will faithfully discharge the duties of representative ... to the best of your ability. So help you God

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

Mr McLean offered a resolution to proceed to the permanent organization of the House in the following order: 1st Speaker 2d Chief Clerk 3d Assistant Clerk 4th Engrossing Clerk 5th Enrolling Clerk 6th Sergeant at Arms 7th Doorkeeper

There ... was amended by adding at the ... order for the election of a page. Adopted

Mr Whiteaker I have the pleasure of submitting the name of Ben Hayden ... Democratic candidate for Speaker of the House

Mr ... I wish to submit the name of W D Hare of Washington county as the Republican candidate for the permanent Speaker of this body

Those voting for Mr Hayden were Messrs Alexander Helm Munker Ostrander ... Whiteaker Durris Ams ... Hutchins ... Caldwell Drain Rader Watts Burnett Waldron ... Dunbar Comegys Mills Savage Fulton McLean Thompson De Shell McCoy Clark Hunter and Hare 27

Those voting for Mr Hare were Messrs Davenport Earhart Dunbar Dunn Kelley Laughlin Hussey Mills Olney Hayden Whalley Regan Quimby Carson Starkweather Apperson and Paquet—18

Mr Hayden was declared duly elected and was conducted to the chair by Messrs Hare and Helm

ADDRESS OF THE SPEAKER

On taking the chair Mr Hayden said

GENTLEMEN Permit me to return to you my sincere thanks for the honor conferred upon me by my selection to preside over your deliberations during this session of the Legislature and I can assure you that I will endeavor to discharge my duty faithfully, firmly fearlessly and impartially not for the purpose of promoting party interests or personal considerations but for the purpose of promoting the general good of the people of the State of Oregon, and I shall invoke the aid and assistance of all those who desire to promote the interests of the country in general to assist me in the discharge of the arduous duty that will devolve upon me during this session of the Legislature. I shall endeavor to discharge my duty not with a view to oppress or beat down or bear down upon anybody but as far as in my power lies to advance the passage of laws that will reflect honor upon the people of the State and that will relieve them as far as in our power lies of the burden of taxation with which they are oppressed at the present time. Permit me again gentlemen to return you my sincere thanks for this honor. The first thing in order will be the election of a Chief Clerk

ADMINISTERING THE OATH TO THE SPEAKER

Mr Whiteaker—I am of the opinion that the next thing in order would be the administering of the oath of office to the Speaker

Mr Speaker I am ready to swear to anything I ... [Laughter]

Mr Olney As the House seems to be waiting for the appearance of the Secretary of State to administer the oath to the Speaker I wish to suggest that the Speaker does not need to be sworn as a Speaker. He has already been sworn as a member of the House and it is not necessary to administer a new oath to members when they are called upon to act as Speaker or as members of committee. If you establish this precedent I see no escape from swearing every member of a committee. Of course it is proper to administer a separate oath to officers elected from the outside who are not members of this body because they have not been sworn but the case of the Speaker is a different one

Mr Whalley—As there seems to be some difference of opinion in regard to this matter I would move that in order to give time for mature consideration of the question the House adjourn until to morrow at 9 o'clock A M

The motion failed

Mr Whiteaker—I think the gentleman from Clatsop is laboring under a mistake at least my experience in this House has been in favor of the course I have suggested. I think I can show authority for it by the statute. I know it has been the practice and I think it will be pertinent and proper for the Speaker to take the oath of office at this time. I hope it will be administered without further delay. These motions to adjourn are for the purpose of delay and perhaps the gentleman from Clatsop had a similar object in view though he is usually inclined to be fair. I would inquire whether the Speaker has invited the Secretary of State to administer the oath to him

Mr Durris—The Speaker has already been sworn and I cannot see any reason for swearing him again. We will soon elect other officers to whom it will be necessary to administer the oath of office and if the House then consider it proper to administer the oath to the Speaker also let him be included then

Mr Speaker What is the motion pending before the House? Is there anything? Did the gentleman from Lane (Mr Whiteaker) submit his proposition in the form of a motion

Mr Whiteaker—The gentleman from Lane simply suggested that the Speaker take the oath of office and then the gentleman from Lane took his seat

Mr Speaker—If there is anything before the House I will submit it, but am not going to hunt up anybody to swear me. [Laughter]

Mr Helm—I move that the Sergeant at Arms be requested to bring the Secretary of State into the House and swear the Speaker of the House

The motion prevailed and Secretary May appeared and administered the oath of office to the Speaker

ELECTION OF OTHER OFFICERS

Mr Durris—I will nominate L T McComas from ... county for Chief Clerk

Mr Davenport I propose the name of Capt George Williams. As an inducement for the election of Mr Williams I would say that he lost a leg at Gettysburg. Mr McComas received 2? and Mr Williams 19 votes whereupon the former was declared duly elected

Mr McCoy nominated John Costillo for Assistant Clerk

Mr Earhart named B H Bowman of Marion county

Mr Costillo was elected by 2? votes Mr Bowman receiving 15

Mr Whiteaker nominated William T White from Clackamas county for Enrolling Clerk and he was elected by ... votes no opposing candidate being named

Mr Helm placed in nomination for Engrossing Clerk Mr John ... of Lane county who was also elected without opposition

Mr McLean nominated A M Snyder of Multnomah county for Sergeant at arms

Mr Dunbar named ... C Hawley of Marion county for the same office

Mr Snyder was elected by 28 votes against 1? for Mr Hawley

... was elected Doorkeeper and Frank M Cormack Page

A message from the Senate was received announcing the organization of that body

Mr Grant from ... county who appeared for the first time took his seat ... was sworn into office by Secretary May who also administered the oath to the officers elect

Mr Whiteaker moved that the Senate be informed of the organization of the House. The motion prevailed

RULES SEATS ADJOURNMENT

Mr Lockhart moved to adopt the rules of the House of the last session as the rules of the present session. The motion was lost

Mr Lockhart moved to proceed to draw seats by counties. The motion was agreed upon the ... except ... county giving Mr Olney a front seat ...

Mr Regan ... further business being before the House moved to adjourn till 10 o'clock to morrow ...

Mr ... moved to supply the desks of members with the journals of the last session of the Legislature. The motion prevailed

Mr Alexander I now move to adjourn till 9 o'clock to morrow ... o'clock is an hour too late. The motion prevailed at 5 o'clock P M

Gov Palmer will not be a candidate for the U S Senatorship from Illinois. The Chicago J... says the contest will be between ex Governor Oglesby and Gen Logan. Senator Yates will gracefully retire to private life

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

[... CORRESPONDENT]

SALEM Monday Sept 12 1870

I telegraphed you this afternoon the organization of the two houses. The nominations for presiding officers by the Democratic caucuses were both of them unexpected by the general ... outside. Mr Fay's that it was accomplished ... and Ben Hayden's that it was accomplished at all. It had been expected that the Senate caucus would hang fire on the nomination as the members sitting and elect, were ... six for Fay and six for Cochrane of Lane. But the members contestant had not been ... I reported on the outside that Mr Mosher being a contestant and a prospective Senator claimed the right to sit and vote in caucus and as ... already been determined ... Hermann's seat (as soon as the necessary ... forms of contest can be gone through with) it was not apparent to the Democratic mind how he could be excluded. Accordingly Mr Mosher's voice decided the tie and Mr Fay became the caucus nominee. The result was entirely acceptable to the Republican Senators every one of whom voted for Mr Fay he, himself voting for Col Cornelius. The only candidate nominated or voted for by a Republican was Mr ... T Church who received seven votes against fourteen for S C Simpson for Chief clerk. Mr Fay upon taking the Chair made a brief little speech of thanks want of confidence in himself and entire reliance upon the magnanimity of his fellow citizens, quite too much in the usual vein to sound natural. Fay is not much of a copyist in style or matter. He starts out in his new office with great promise of success as a presiding officer. He is prompt and decided and if he don't get nervous will run the Senatorial machine very much to his own liking, and I think creditably to himself and the Senate

There was no contest to speak of against Simpson for Clerk. Holt for Sergeant at arms met with better opposition from a quarter whence he did not look for ... from T Patterson & Co and ... Johnny's conversational remarks concerning that crowd are more forcible than elegant or complimentary. The Senate's officers are all of the bed rock persuasion except Mr James Moore doorkeeper who was a Lincoln hireling in 1864-5 having served in those years in Company "C" of the Oregon regiment of the volunteer infantry raised under the call of Governor Gibbs. Whether the bed rock Senators know of this I cannot say

The votes of the Republican members for the Democratic candidates raised a smile all round, and after the organization had been completed, Mr Travitt offered a resolution tendering the thanks of the Democratic members to the Republicans for the generous and cheerful manner in which they had supported the caucus nominees. The President however as soon as the laugh had subsided declared that there was nothing before the Senate and so Vic's resolution went where the woodbine twineth

There was another ripple in the Senate, upon a resolution offered by Mr Hermann, to invite the clergy to open the morning sessions with prayer. Vic thought there were praying men enough in the Senate that it would be refreshing to hear some of the Senators pray, that it would be a good exercise for them and he therefore moved to amend the resolution so that the Senate should be required to furnish its own pray-ers. This proposition was however, lost, and then Vic wanted to amend by inserting a proviso that the clergymen invited should furnish proofs of good moral character. This too was voted down, and the resolution was adopted by a small majority on a rising vote

Mr Crawford of Linn county obtained leave of absence till Wednesday and will visit Portland to see his son Thos H Crawford who, he learns is sick

Mr Stout of your county is lying at the Opera House sick having been taken down with a congestive chill Sunday evening. During the night he was very ill and was attended by several of the physicians of the city. He is better to day and reported to be in no immediate danger

Ben Hayden's revenges upon Grover and the Salem ring are coming along one after another. He is now chief of a clan who would see Grover happy and Smith enjoying ecstatic bliss on the cool and shady side of Jordan before they would best wrap neither of them the Senatorial robes. He went into caucuses on the bed rock, albeit with a clean shirt on and achieved the vanquishment of a man loaded down with gubernatorial and parliamentary honors to say nothing of "deportment." And all upon the capital of native talent unaided by the culture of the schools or the arts of a tailor. Ben's administration of his office of Speaker is marked by many of the peculiarities which distinguish his stump speeches and every day talks with men. There is fun ahead in the House. And there are people disrespectful enough to express the opinion that a circus wouldn't draw worth a cent while the Legislature is in session

Davenport of Marion fired one of his peculiar shots point blank into the Democratic camp this afternoon. The Republicans had of course made no nominations and as in the Senate, generally voted for the Democratic candidates. When Ben had been elected Speaker, and the caucus candidate for Clerk had been duly announced, there was silence for a moment. Then Ben, with an air which seemed to say that it would afford him great pleasure to slay and eat an antagonist or two if only the Rads would have the kindness to trot them out proclaimed that if any gentleman had another candidate to name, just let him name that candidate. Mr Davenport arose and said he would name Capt. George Williams, and would mention as an inducement for gentlemen of the majority to vote for him, that he had lost a leg at Gettysburg while fighting rebels. The shot hit as could be plainly seen by the squirming but the inducement didn't seem to take—the Democratic side of the House voted very unanimously for the man who didn't lose a leg

The State officers elect except Governor entered upon the duties of their respective offices today. The outgoing and incoming Treasurers have been going over the books and cash box since yesterday morning. There is nothing said about the safe being empty, so I conclude that the new Treasurer has found all the coin and greenbacks which by virtue of vouchers, ought to be there. The office of the Secretary has certainly been turned over in tip top shape. Everything is arranged with the exact method and neatness that the retiring Secretary so well understands and which is so essential to the correct administration of the office. Every paper on file is properly endorsed and the packages are neatly classified and arranged in a glass case filling an entire side of the room in such manner that even a clumsy searcher of records could hardly fail to open the right package for any paper wanted upon the first trial. No officer of Oregon ever turned over his office in better shape than did Mr May to-day

There is nothing yet to indicate when the contested election cases will be brought forward. Newly ... and other ... are on hand with ponderous bundles of affidavits enough to puzzle the ... of ... the three grand divisions of ... My impression is, however that the respective bodies to whom these fearfully pregnant envelopes are directed will resolve the ... into Gordian knots and then with the sharp sword of a Democratic majority ... them asunder without the trouble of any prolonged attempt to untie them. This on the same principle as the Doctor proceeded upon who being death on fits always began upon each patient with an effort to throw him into fits no matter what might be the disorder

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The rebel papers that denounce James L Orr for joining the Republicans cannot conceal the fact that one such accession as this is better than a thousand political speeches. There is not a single Southern State without many men like Orr who are tired of following the old Calhoun leaders and who are anxious for a government of stability and common sense

A Splendid Record

The financial record of the present Administration constitutes in itself a basis on which the Republican party may confidently appeal to the people. In point of fact nothing more or better could be wanted. [illegible] made a subject of review in documents issued by the Republican Congressional Committee, and the facts are presented in a manner at once clear and satisfactory. It is there shown by indubitable proof that in point of economy in the management of public affairs the Administration of President Grant, whether viewed as a whole during the year and a half he has been President, or in its details, is entitled to general commendation. It is shown that at the commencement of the present Administration ten thousand articles used by the people were subject to taxation. These taxes were cheerfully borne during the rebellion, and even after it had been crushed, because the people knew that money and treasure in fabulous amounts were as necessary to the putting down of treason, as were the vast armies that went out at their country's call to do their part in the great work. With Johnson doing the will of the Democratic party during his Administration, these taxes were not removed; the national debt was not diminished, and the expenses of the Government were even more onerous in view of the expectation of the people, than in time of war. Now, in seventeen months of a *bona fide* Republican Administration, internal taxation has been removed from all except the following brief list of articles:

Tax on spirituous, vinous, and malt liquors.
Tax on tobacco and cigars.
Tax on incomes.
Tax on National banks.
Tax on gas.
Stamp tax.

This little list is all that remains of the burdensome taxation necessitated by the rebellion, and it will be observed that the revenue of one hundred and twenty-five millions of dollars is to be raised from articles that are not of prime necessity to life, and health, and prosperity. That is to say, taxation has been removed from the necessities of life. Exclusive of the interest on the national debt, and the sum paid in pensions, the following table exhibits the sum total of expenditures for the current fiscal year:

Military Academy	$314,869 20
Deficiencies	6,419,494 40
Diplomatic and consular service	1,041,317 10
Works of defense	1,311,500 00
Rivers and harbors	3,945,900 00
Postoffice Department, beyond the amount received for postage	5,000,000 00
Legislative, Executive and Judicial	18,949,258 40
Sundry civil expenses	13,137,634 70
Army	29,321,207 21
Navy	19,250,2[illegible]
Indian Department	6,321,565 02
	$105,316,126 20

Buchanan's administration, for the above objects, spent over seventy millions in gold per annum, an equivalent in paper now of eighty millions of dollars. But there are forty millions of people to-day against less than thirty millions under Buchanan. This would make Grant's administration by far the most economical.

The details of those expenses are no less satisfactory. Under Buchanan the army consisted of nineteen regiments, which cost over twenty millions of dollars each year—about thirteen hundred thousand dollars in paper money of to-day for each regiment. The army at present consists of forty regiments, and yet its maintenance for the year costs but twenty-nine millions of dollars, a trifle of over seven hundred thousand dollars to each regiment in paper money. These are but items of the general system of economy which has been practiced during this Republican administration, a system which it is the mission of the party to carry out until our country no longer feels the effects of the rebellion. Now, says the Chicago *Republican*, in referring to this record, from the terrific howling which the Democratic party have kept up about taxation, we would expect to find them voting solid in favor of every measure lightening these burdens upon the people. But not so; as a party during the session of the Forty-first Congress they arrayed themselves solidly against the most most important measures affording such relief to the people. It is not only in the exhibits showing rapid reduction of the public debt that our Republican Administration is successful; it has also established itself in the confidence of the people by its rigid economy and by the relief it has afforded by the abatement of taxation.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

SALEM, Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1870, 12 M.

In the Senate this morning nothing of particular importance occurred. Resolutions were adopted calling for copies for each Senator of the general laws, and the various subsequent session laws; to furnish each Senator with copies of six newspapers; calling for stationery; for the printing of the rules; and to appoint a committee to wait upon the Governor to inform him of the organization of the Legislative Assembly and to learn when he would deliver his message.

In the House there was a little breeze in regard to the conduct of the Sergeant-at-Arms, elected yesterday. Upon the election of a Page, not the son of the Sergeant at-Arms, Mr. Snyder was indignant, and talked freely to members and others about the discourtesy shown him. This morning, when the House met, Mr. Snyder was not present, and it seems to have been the general impression that he had gone home in disgust. Mr. Whiteaker, therefore, moved to declare the office of Sergeant-at-Arms vacant, stating in support of his motion that Snyder had insulted several of the members. The motion prevailed, and then there was a lively time for a few minutes, members popping up from all quarters to nominate their friends to fill the vacancy. The Republicans voted for a Mr. Hawley, and the Democrats started in on a scattering vote for several candidates. Before the voting was concluded, they concentrated on Mr. W. E. Howell, late of the Oregon City Woolen Mills, in sufficient numbers to give him the election. And thus Mr. Snyder, who had not yet made his appearance, though still in the city, was let gently but firmly down into the domain of private life. Snyder is in excellent humor (in a horn) and expresses the most unqualified admiration for "Old Whiteaker." His adjectives will not bear publication, though they are eminently expressive.

The Governor informed the committee that he would appear at 2 o'clock this afternoon and deliver his message.

Legislative News—Inauguration of the Governor.

SALEM, September 12.

In the Senate nothing has transpired worthy of special note. This morning a few resolutions of the ordinary tenor, at the opening sessions, were adopted.

This afternoon nothing but to arrange to attend the joint convention to receive Governor Woods' biennial message. The message was delivered at 2 P. M. before the two houses. After the message was concluded, the convention adopted a motion to proceed to canvass and count the votes for Governor. The count by counties showed a majority for Grover of six hundred and thirty. A committee was appointed to inform the Governor elect of his election, and to learn when he would be pleased to communicate with the Legislature. For answer, he returned that he would be ready to take the oath at 11 A. M. to-morrow. The Convention appointed a Committee of five to arrange for the inauguration. A resolution was adopted inviting Chief Justice Prim to administer the oath, and all other Judges and State officers to be present. The Inauguration will take place at Reed's Opera House.

Judge Stout still remains very ill, but his condition is reported better to-day.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT [illegible]

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives: [illegible] of Oregon, [illegible] time give to the Legislative Assembly such information [illegible] of the State, and recommend such measures as he shall judge to be expedient.

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Every good citizen can but look with pride to the happy acquiescence in the will of the majority as expressed at the polls.

The [illegible] of a [illegible] for office, is his duty when elected to [illegible] selfish views, and battle for the good of the whole people.

Let such a spirit govern you in your legislation at this session, and the blessings of the people will be bestowed upon you.

Where parties are separated by issues which involve the honor, welfare or life of the nation or State, it is right that in the conflict of reason, the truth should be made manifest; but in times like these, when no great question of a political character is before the people, it bespeaks a poor statesmanship, to be delving away, with unrelenting zeal, at the bones of the dead past, to the reckless disregard of the rapidly expanding interests of the State, which so much need the fostering care of the whole people.

Oregon, just now being aroused from a long slumber, incident to isolation, is starting forth in a new life, and as such, it needs legislation of a broad and liberal character, that [illegible] party interests and look to the general good.

It is of [illegible] consequence [illegible] whether those that party triumph [illegible], as an unswerving result, the State shall be made to prosper, and increase in wealth, in energy and enterprise.

Such is our duty at this time, and such, I doubt not, will be your course of action.

Your line of duty is plainly indicated, and I cannot forbear expressing the hope that a spirit of liberality and good will will characterize all your legislation, and, in the end, much good be accomplished.

I do not think that much legislation is necessary at this session, and it is hoped that a careful investigation will lead to a speedy recognition of the actual wants of the State, and that, meeting these, you will be enabled to bring your labors to an early close. Long sessions of legislative bodies, as a rule, are not productive of good results, but, as all experience proves, are apt to be the nurseries of strifes and contentions, which obscure the light of reason, and produce injury and disgrace. Such, doubtless, was the opinion of the framers of the Constitution of the State, since, in that instrument, the sessions, by implication, if not by express language, are limited to forty days. Any person conversant with the past history of legislation in Oregon will unite with me in the opinion that forty days are more than sufficient for the legitimate labors of any session heretofore held. And I think that the interests of the State require that the precedent be now established that, unless extraordinary occasion requires it, no session go beyond the limit intimated by the Constitution.

The daily expenses of the Legislative Assembly are great, and the people whom you serve, together with the voice of history, will applaud that spirit of retrenchment which will expedite business, shorten the session, and thereby lessen the burdens of taxation. I trust, therefore, that you will avail yourselves of this opportunity to render the State invaluable service by expeditious, practical labor, and a speedy adjournment.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

The growth and power of a nation are known by the growth and power of its mentality. And as in republics the sovereignty is vested alike in each citizen, so, to make the power commensurate with the wants of the Government, the dissemination of intelligence should be universal. There is nothing which the interests of the State so much require as a thorough system of common schools. A finished education should be placed within the reach of every child within its borders. There is not a good man or woman in the State who does not feel the obligation of this high duty.

The school is the link in our civil system which connects the State with the family. The provisions of any school act should, therefore, be eminently just, and so plain and explicit as to be readily understood by every one. And, recognizing the fact that educated mind is the very life of free governments, I cannot urge you too strongly to give such care and attention to this subject as will insure to us, without further delay, the passage of a good and wise common school law, which will guarantee the incalculable blessings and benefits which alone can arise from such.

In the primal organization of the State the Governor was made Superintendent of public instruction. But the past history of education in Oregon clearly demonstrates that such an arrangement is ineffective and unsatisfactory. To organize and superintend a system commensurate with the wants of the State is a task sufficient of itself, to require all the time, attention and thought which the very best executive ability can give. Section 1 of article 8 of the Constitution of the State provides for the election of a Superintendent of public instruction, and in view of the present disorganized and unsatisfactory condition of our common schools I urge upon you the election of such Superintendent, clothed with such power and burdened with such duties as will insure to us a thorough system of common schools. To insure success, you should give to such officer a good compensation, require him to live at the capital of the State, and to give his entire attention to the duties of his office.

In this connection, permit me to call your special attention to section 2 of article 8 of the Constitution of this State, which provides, among other things, that all the proceeds of the five hundred thousand acres of land to which this State was entitled by the act of Congress entitled "An act to appropriate the proceeds of the sale of the public lands and to grant pre-emption rights," approved the 4th of September, 1841, and also the five per centum of the net proceeds of the public lands, to which this State became entitled upon her admission into the Union, shall be set apart as a separate and irreducible school fund, and that the interest of the same, together with all other revenues from the school land mentioned in said section, shall be exclusively applied to the support and maintenance of common schools. Any effort to divert this fund from the uses and purposes contemplated by the Constitution, ought, therefore, to meet with, as I trust it will receive, your unqualified disapproval. You are, for the time being, the custodians of the interests of the people in this behalf, and, in view of the vast importance of the educational interests of the State, permit me to express the hope that you will carefully guard the Common School Fund from improper and unconstitutional uses, and thus confer a benefaction upon the people of the State.

It is gratifying to know that everywhere, in all parts of the State, a deep and active interest is manifested in educational matters. The time for active, energetic and effective work is at hand. Much is to be done. You alone can energize and give life to this much needed work, and I trust that it will receive your careful and undivided attention.

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

For such information as may be necessary to guide you in your deliberations in matters pertaining thereto, I beg leave to refer you to the Report of the Board of Commissioners for the Management of the School Fund, a copy of which is herewith transmitted.

RAILROADS.

Next in importance to education is a system of cheap and convenient transportation. Railroads are the very life of a State. And it is with gratification and pride that I communicate to you that a railroad is now in process of construction within the borders of the State, and soon will be completed to its southern boundary, connecting us with California and the East. The importance of this enterprise cannot be over estimated. The history of civilization for the last half century is but a repetition of the triumphs of railroads. No State can prosper without them, and I earnestly hope that you will give such encouragement to these great adjuncts of civilization as will facilitate their construction, and throw around them that protection of law which will insure their successful operation in our midst.

These enterprises, it is safe to assume, are but the beginning of a great system of railroads which will soon [illegible] every nook and corner of our State. And now, in the beginning, is the proper time for such a system of railroad laws to be passed, as will give stability and protection to such enterprises, and, on the other hand, secure the people from encroachment.

Railroads have long been the great desire, as they have been the great need, of all sections of the State. We could not build them with home capital; we had not enough. The introduction of foreign capital, therefore, became a necessity. A sensible and prudent people, who rightly comprehend the laws of growth and prosperity, will ever encourage and facilitate the introduction into their midst, of capital and productive labor. And whatever may be the prejudices of the hour, I earnestly hope that you will [illegible] to benefit the whole people.

Railroad laws are needed, and, gathering light from the experience of other and older States, where railroads have been extensively operated, I have no doubt you will be able to organize such a system as will answer the purposes and demands of the present, and give sufficient guarantees for the future.

SUPREME COURT.

A well regulated judiciary, more than all things else, gives confidence to the public in the efficiency of organized government. And, in view of this fact, I earnestly recommend that the necessary steps be taken for the organization of a separate Supreme Court, as soon as the conditions stipulated in sec. 10 of art. 7 of the Constitution of the State are complied with.

The time was, in the incipient organization of the State, when a meager population, struggling in the midst of the privations of a frontier life, and having but little necessity for Courts, that the judiciary as now organized was sufficient [illegible] wants. But our already large and rapidly increasing population, and consequent increase of civil business, demands, in language which ought to be heeded, the speedy organization of a separate Supreme Court, as contemplated by the Constitution. And I hope that, recognizing its necessity, you will give the subject your earnest attention.

In this connection, permit me to suggest an amendment to our Criminal Code. I know full well that prudence and all experience requires that well established usages, either in civil or criminal law, be not hastily overthrown. But when, in the onward march of civilization, personal rights—always the subject of the greatest solicitude—are [illegible] the change which [illegible] and rules and regulations established which shall be in harmony with the more enlarged ideas of justice and right. Throughout the civilized world, the party defendant in criminal actions is presumed to be innocent until his guilt is established, but judging from the rights accorded to parties defendant upon trial, under the law as it now is, it would seem that this rule was reversed, and that the presumption of guilt attached until innocence was proven. I suggest, therefore, in what is conceived to be simple justice to the accused, that in all criminal actions, the defendant should have the right to make the closing argument, and that such right be secured by law.

And I also suggest that in all criminal actions the parties defendant should have the right to testify before the juries by which they are being tried, as to the matters at issue between the State and themselves, as other witnesses, leaving it to the jury to determine the credibility of such testimony.

[illegible] of the defendant when on trial, the [illegible] liberty or life [illegible]. I trust, therefore, that you will remove these and all the barriers which in the least obstruct the ends of justice, and thereby vindicate Oregon as a friend to liberty, law and order, which is the end of all good government.

ELECTIONS.

The purity of the ballot box and the untrammeled expression of the will of the voters at our polls is the strongest safeguard of personal liberty.

All will agree with me that the experience of the present year has taught us, that [illegible] our present system of conducting elections, [illegible] such changes as will protect the lawful voters from the [illegible] incursions of an imported, corrupt and irresponsible rabble, whose highest conceptions of human liberty and free government are measured by their greed for money. I therefore recommend that an effective and stringent Registry Law be passed. Experience has shown that in other States of the Republic, such laws have been highly beneficial, and I do not doubt, if enacted in this State, would give satisfaction and to a great extent, remedy the evils of which the people so justly complain. I have long been of the opinion that the *viva voce* system of voting was a mistake and ought to be abolished and the ballot substituted. [illegible] the Constitution, you have no right to make the change, and I earnestly hope that you may so amend the law.

FINANCES.

The Legislative Assembly of 1868 failed to pass the General Appropriation Bill, in consequence of which the business of the State has been done upon credit, while the moneys of the State have been accumulating in the vaults of the Treasury, hence the large exhibit made by the Treasurer of State in his biennial report.

In this connection, permit me to suggest that, in my judgment, the general appropriation bill ought always to be passed as soon in the session as the expenses can be approximated, so that in any event partisan strife cannot interfere with its financial operations, or in any way impair its credit.

Because of the large amount of outstanding indebtedness, in consequence of there being no appropriation, the bill which ought to have been passed by the Legislative Assembly of 1868 should receive your early attention, and thus relieve the State from its burden and increase its circulating medium.

INSANE ASYLUM.

On the 1st day of October, 1868, under the direction of the Legislative Assembly, I contracted with Dr. J. C. Hawthorne, of Multnomah county, for the keeping, care, and medical treatment of the Insane and Idiotic of the State, for two years, which contract expires on the 1st day of October of the present year. In my biennial message to the Legislative Assembly of 1868, I urged upon that body the necessity for the erection and construction of suitable buildings for an Asylum for the Insane at the State Capital, as required by the Constitution. In accordance with that recommendation a bill was passed appropriating forty thousand dollars, which bill received my signature, thereby, to all intents and purposes, becoming a law; but afterwards in answer to a resolution, from the House in which it originated, it was returned, and strangled in committee. Therefore nothing has been done in the premises. And I now renew my recommendation in that behalf, and indulge the hope that this much needed work will not be longer delayed. Humanity and good taste rebel at the idea of hawking the unfortunate about from place to place, subject to the lowest bidder, as they have been for years past. And that, too when our fundamental law has made ample provisions for their permanent keeping, care and treatment at the State Capital. Suitable buildings ought to be begun at once and made ready for their reception at an early day. In the meantime, however, provisions will have to be made for the keeping of these wards until such time as the State buildings can be completed. I should do Dr. Hawthorne a serious injustice were I not to say that he has faithfully carried out his contract with the State, and complied with all its requirements in letter and spirit. Too much cannot be said in his praise.

The medical treatment of the patients I have reason to believe, has been as efficient and thorough as in any other asylum in the United States; while their food and raiment, and all those surroundings which secure bodily comfort, have been all that any one could desire. It would be difficult to place them in better hands.

They are submitted to your care and guardianship, with a full confidence that the interests of the State will be vigilantly guarded, and that all that can be done, will be done, to palliate their sufferings, and restore them to reason, and to their friends again.

For further information in reference to the condition and management of the Insane Asylum, you are respectfully referred to the report of the contractor, Dr. J. C. Hawthorne, herewith transmitted.

PENITENTIARY.

The Penitentiary has been so conducted for the last year, I trust, as to meet with your unqualified approval.

The police regulations have been so efficient and complete as to render the escape of convicts impossible. But three have escaped, and two remain at large, since the last session of the Legislative Assembly, which number, considering the character of the buildings in which they are kept, and the manner in which prison labor has to be performed, in forest and field, where a watchful vigilance alone prevents escape, is remarkably small. Too much credit cannot be given to the Superintendent, wardens and officers of the prison for the faithful manner in which they have discharged the duties of their respective offices. They have done their whole duty, and I should do violence to my own sense of right were I not to extend to them, through you, my highest commendation.

I hesitate not to say that the State Prison building now in use is unsafe and worthless—wholly inadequate to the public want—a disgrace which ought no longer to be tolerated. In my message to the Legislature of 1868, I urged that suitable buildings be erected, and that appropriation be made therefor. But I regret to say that no steps were taken whatever to begin this much needed work. Longer delay will be a public calamity. The continued safe-keeping of the convicts in a building no more secure than a common dwelling, and that in a rapid process of decay, cannot be guaranteed. A new building, adequate to our public want, ought to be begun immediately, and pushed to a speedy completion.

Convict labor, now thoroughly systematized, can be used in the construction thereof, with a great saving to the State. Bricks of the very best quality are now being manufactured by prison labor, in vast quantities, but the clay adapted to the making of good bricks, found upon the Penitentiary grounds, is limited in quantity, and I doubt whether there is much more at command than is needed in the construction of the public buildings. The State, by means of its own bricks, and utilizing convict labor in preparing the materials for, and erecting the walls, can largely decrease the expense incident to such a work. And I earnestly recommend that the necessary legislation be had at this session, and that the work be begun without further delay.

For a more extensive review of the condition and management of the Penitentiary, you are respectfully referred to the report of M. P. Berry, Esq., Superintendent of the Penitentiary, a copy of which is herewith transmitted.

STATE CAPITOL BUILDING.

I should fail to do my duty were I not to urge upon you the necessity for the immediate beginning and erection of a suitable State House. Twelve years of our existence as a State have come and gone, and no effort has yet been put forth to provide such a building. It is needed badly, and I respectfully recommend that the necessary appropriation be made, and that the work be begun at once.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

For information relating to military affairs I beg leave to refer you to the report of Adjutant General Cyrus A. Reed, a copy of which is herewith transmitted.

LIGHT HOUSES, FORTS, ETC.

In my Message to the Legislative Assembly of 1868, I called attention to the necessity for enacting a general law ceding certain rights to the Government of the United States for the purchase of sites for the erection of Light Houses, Forts, Arsenals and Dockyards, within the limits of the State; but the legislation of that session was not sufficient to meet the wants of the General Government.

Public works of vast importance to the State have been held in abeyance, because of the absence of the necessary enactments. More Light Houses are needed on our coast, for the erection of which appropriations have been made by Congress, and orders issued for the beginning of the work, but nothing can be done until certain rights are ceded by the State, through its Legislature. I call your attention to a communication from R. S. Williamson, Maj. U. S. Engineers, herewith transmitted. In view of the importance of the public works referred to, I urge upon you to give the matter your earnest attention.

CONCLUSION.

In taking my leave of you officially, permit me to express the hope that a spirit of harmony and good will may prevail in all your deliberations, that prudence and sound judgment may characterize your legislation, and that, in the end, much good may be done for the State. Do your duty, and the gratitude of an appreciative people will be your reward. GEO. L. WOODS.

PARDONS GRANTED.

James McGowan pardoned on petition, Sept. 12, 1868.
John Short, pardoned on petition, Sept. 14, 1868.
James Luckee, pardoned on petition, Sept. 17, 1868.
Frank [illegible] pardoned on petition, [illegible], 1868.
R[illegible], pardoned on petition, Dec. 5, 1868.
Thomas Martin, pardoned on petition, Feb. 10, 1869.
William Marshall, pardoned on petition, March 8, 1869.
[illegible], pardoned on petition, March 8, 1869.
B. J. Woodward, pardoned on petition, Aug. 10, 1869.
John Stockwell, pardoned on petition, Aug. 19, 1869.
[illegible] on statement of Dr. H. Carpenter, that he is [illegible] so as to endanger the health of the other convicts, Aug. 27, 1869.
[illegible] pardoned on statement of Dr. H. Carpenter, Attending Physician, that he is diseased so as to endanger the health of the other convicts, Aug. 27, 1869.
James W. Savage, pardoned on petition, Sept. 10, 1869.
Marie C. Rice, pardoned on petition, Sept. 21, 1869.
John Fitzhugh, pardoned on petition, Sept. 28, 1869.
Jos. Bertrand, pardoned on petition, Oct. 13, 1869.
John Nunley, pardoned on petition, Oct. 15, 1869.
Ezra Ecklest[illegible], pardoned on petition, Nov. 2, 1869.
Jos. Howard, pardoned on petition, Dec. 18, 1869.
Cornelius Cregan, pardoned on petition, Jan. 25, 1870.
James Rest, pardoned on petition, Jan. 25, 1870.
Herman Jodell, pardoned on petition, Feb. 5, 1870.
Henry C. Vaughn, pardoned on petition, Feb. 22, 1870.
John O. Cornet, pardoned on petition, Feb. 22, 1870.
Jas. Connelly, pardoned on petition, Aug. 1, 1870.
Michael H. Lewis, pardoned for meritorious services Aug. 2, 1870.
Jos. Simpson, pardoned on petition, Aug. 9, 1870.
Wm. Roe, pardoned on petition, Aug. 9, 1870.
James Jackson, pardoned on petition, by Secretary May, Acting Governor, Sept. 6, 1870.

COMMUNICATION.

PORTLAND, Oregon, Sept. [illegible] 1870.

To His Excellency, the Governor of the State of Oregon:

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I am directed by the Hon. Secretary of the Treasury, the Light House Board, and the Hon. Secretary of War, through the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army, to request that the two enclosed drafts of Acts (the one entitled "An Act to provide for the cession to the United States in certain cases, [illegible] for sites of Light Houses, and other purposes, in the Ports and Waters of the State," and the other "An Act [illegible] of the Legislature of the State [illegible] by the United States [illegible] Light House, Military or Naval purposes") may be [illegible], through you and with your favorable recommendation, to the Senate and Assembly of the State, with the hope that they may become laws of the State.

The first of the Acts is submitted [illegible] the nature of the [illegible] Light Houses, Military and Naval purposes.

[illegible] of the passage of the first [illegible] Act [illegible] entirely little value.

The necessity of the passage of the other Act above mentioned [illegible]. The Government of the United States may secure a title by purchase or otherwise, to a piece of land intended to be used as a site for a Light House or Fort. The 17th clause of the 8th section of the 1st article of the Constitution of the United States gives exclusive legislation "over all places purchased by the consent of the Legislature of the State in which the same shall be, for the erection of Forts, Magazines, Arsenals, Dockyards and other needful buildings." It is therefore necessary that the consent of the State must be obtained before a Light House or Fort can be built on land purchased by the United States. [illegible]

There is but one Light House on the coast of Oregon, and it will not be long before several will be required. The whole difficulty would be obviated by the passage of an Act, a draft of which is respectfully submitted to your Excellency.

If, in their wisdom, the Legislature of Oregon should deem it advisable [illegible], I am directed to request that special laws be passed by the Legislature of Oregon ceding jurisdiction over fifty three and three-fourths (53 3-4) acres of land purchased by the United States at Cape Blanco for Light House purposes, [illegible] acres of land at Cape Foulweather, which has been reserved by the President of the United States for Light House purposes, and such lands as the United States may purchase at Yaquina Bay, where $20,000 have been appropriated for two range lights.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

R. S. WILLIAMSON,
Maj. U. S. Engineers, L. H. Engineer.

The Greenville *National Union* announces that ex President Johnson will not be a candidate for Congress—for the same reason, perhaps, that Louis Napoleon did not dictate terms of peace at Berlin.

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Sept. 12, 1870, by Rev. Mr. Anderson, Mark A. Bell and Nellie R. Clark.

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Third and North Third Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT made by Ordinance No. 848, for the improvement of Third and North Third Sts between Columbia and G streets in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 806, on each of the following described lots and parts of lots fronting and abutting upon said street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersection of said streets, with streets running at right angles therewith, within the line of the improvement, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

	Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessment.
Couch	20	W ½ 1	W. P. Burke, Agent	$117 12
	19	5	Thos. Stephens	66 12
		3	Peter Taylor	67 50
		E ½ 6	J. S. Johnson	42 [illegible]
		N ½ 6	Zion M. E. Church	42 16
		7	L. A. Davenport	96 32
	18	2,3,6,7	G. H. Williams	[illegible]
	17	2,3,6,7	L. M. Starr	409 59
	16	2,3,6,7	Marshall & Kelly, agts	[illegible]
	24	4	Burton & Bacon	[illegible]
		3,6,7	James Murr	[illegible]
		[illegible]	M. A. Hern	41 [illegible]
		N ½ 8,4	E. Gibson	[illegible]
		5,8	C. E. Ettinger	128 75
		1,4,5,8	R. A. White	187 21
	25	1	M. A. Chapman	[illegible]
		4	Jas. Byrne	64 15
		5,8	G. W. Hoyt	106 82
	27	1,4	C. Bills	153 21
		5	A. Staender	[illegible]
		8	Mrs. J. H. Hatch	[illegible]
	26	1,4,5	G. [illegible]	320 57
		8	G. W. [illegible]	112 14
	25	1,4	Est. A. Hallock	[illegible]
		5,8	P. C. Schuyler, Jr	[illegible]
	[illegible]	5,6	J. G. Glenn	150 46
		S ½ 8,7	D. McCully	[illegible]
		N ½ 8,7	D. B. [illegible]	41 36
	30	5,8	G. H. Atkinson	131 35
		7	Peter Taylor	41 92
		8	A. E. Birrell	42 21
	[illegible]	5,6	W. B. [illegible]	82 97
	[illegible]	5	M. A. Austin	[illegible]
		6	P. Hogan	[illegible]
		7	W. Weatherford	[illegible]
		8	J. M. [illegible]	[illegible]
	21	W ½ 5	L. Fleishner	[illegible]
		E ½ 5	R. F. [illegible]	[illegible]
		6	F. [illegible]	[illegible]
		7,8	Wm. Beck	[illegible]
	20	5	Jacob Mayer	[illegible]
		6	Mary Mayer	[illegible]
		7,8	Mrs. J. M. Stott	[illegible]
	19	5	C. F. Weigant	[illegible]
		6	Est. of J. B. Jackson	[illegible]
		7,8	Thomas Cully	[illegible]
	18	5	F. Dekum	[illegible]
		6	[illegible] & Burnside	[illegible]
		7	[illegible] & Clark	[illegible]
		8	James McKay	[illegible]
	[illegible]	5,6	H. W. Corbett	[illegible]
		7,8	Est. T. E. Byrne	117 18
	[illegible]	5	Joseph Levy	[illegible]
		7,8	B. Stark	[illegible]
	[illegible]	W ½ [illegible]	F. Bickel	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	E. D. Shattuck	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	A. J. [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	1	R. R. Thompson	[illegible]
	[illegible]	3,4	J. C. Carson	[illegible]
		1,2	R. Patton	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	City of Portland	[illegible]
	[illegible]	3	S. M. [illegible]	[illegible]
		2	F. [illegible]	[illegible]
		1	Geo. Wright	[illegible]
		1	J. Duncan	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	A. Davenport	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	P. Hennessy	[illegible]
		1	L. [illegible]	[illegible]
		2	Geo. Pratt	[illegible]
		1	P. D. W. Hardenbergh	[illegible]
		2	J. [illegible]	[illegible]
		3	J. C. [illegible]	[illegible]
		4	H. W. Corbett	[illegible]
	[illegible]	3,4	R. Potter	[illegible]
		2	F. [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	4	M. [illegible]	[illegible]
		3	Masonic Hall Association	[illegible]
		1,2	R. F. [illegible]	[illegible]
		2	F. Dekum	[illegible]
	47	3,4	Presbyterian Church	[illegible]
		2	S. M. Smith	[illegible]
		1	B. Holladay	[illegible]
	50	3,4	C. P. Bacon	[illegible]
		1,2	Wm. Sherlock	[illegible]
	41	1,2,3,4	J. C. Ainsworth	[illegible]
	41	1,2,3,4	R. R. Thompson	[illegible]
Tract bet. A & Ash			W. P. Burke	110 17
				$19,080 97

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Sept 14, 1870. d10d

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
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Insurance Company,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE.
JULY 1, 1870.
Capital Stock [illegible]
Amount [illegible] available to pay [illegible] 740,068 11
ASSETS IN GOLD.
Loans on Real Estate and Collaterals worth [illegible]
Cash in Banks [illegible]
United States and other Stocks owned by the Company [illegible]
Real Estate, Company's property, [illegible]
Other Assets [illegible]
Total Assets in Gold $1,740,068 11
LOSSES PAID PROMPTLY IN GOLD ON ADJUSTMENT
Insurance effected on the most favorable Terms.
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Will leave Couch's Wharf for the above port
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WE WILL SELL AT OUR SALESROOMS, ON
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At 10 o'clock A. M.,
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TERMS—One-Third Cash, balance in One, Two and Three Years.

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400 bbl bbls SUGAR;
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90 chests JAPAN TEA;
ALSO,
175 bxs SPERM CANDLES;
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ALSO,
50 bxs MACARONI;
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20 bags SAGO;
ALSO,
50 bbl bbls DRIED APPLES;
100 cases CRANBERRIES;
150 bbl bbls DRIED PEACHES;
ALSO,
50 nests MARKET BASKETS;
25 nests CLOTHES [illegible];
ALSO,
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ALSO,
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Portland at 5 A. M.
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The Stages of the O. & C. S. Co. connect with the O. & C. R. Road at Chico, 230 miles North of Sacramento, also at the Junction with the Great Overland R. R. to New York.
Time through to San Francisco [illegible] New York [illegible]
Passengers allowed to lay over [illegible]. Those who travel by this route avoid the sea and that dreaded and terrible feeling of sickness. The wild picturesque scenery, valleys and snow-capped mountains [illegible] tourist for a trip over this route.
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[illegible]
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Portland, Oregon, June 14, 1870.

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N. B.—The Stage Company will [illegible] light freight from parties living along the line [illegible] warded only through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.
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CITY.

RIVER NEWS.—The steamer [illegible] was safe [illegible] yesterday, and her [illegible]

[illegible] to-day. [illegible] clear to-day on her return voyage to San Francisco, taking [illegible] from Westport, having her cargo with lumber.

[illegible] completed her cargo [illegible]

The [illegible] reached the port last evening with a load of hemlock bark designed for use of the tanneries adjacent to the city.

The steamer [illegible] was built by Capt. Charles Holman, at Westport, Oregon, in the winter of [illegible]

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CATERPILLARS.—The destruction to orchards in Oregon this season from the caterpillar is scarcely to be estimated, and if we could be heard we would advise every man who owns a tree to look at it at once, and this fall remove the last vestige of the hairy larva's nests that can be found—and then watch carefully in the spring for their reappearance, and make short work of them. It is perfectly shameful, that these pests and destroyers should be permitted to go on with their work of destruction from season to season, even in orchards and among the branches of trees where paid gardeners are working every day in the year. There is no excuse for such negligence on the part of the people, and now if you are the owner of a tree go at once and resolve to fully exterminate the caterpillar, before it exterminates your trees. Look at the dead limbs all about your premises, count what your carelessness has cost up to date, and realize that this is a struggle of life and death then heed the admonition not to be asleep over the subject.

SOMETHING NEW.—Yesterday we visited the establishment of Messrs. Mathew & Watson, advertised in another column, and witnessed the process of manufacturing a new patent blind which combines the advantages of a blind and curtain. These gentlemen have introduced machinery for the purpose of manufacturing the blind, and after an inspection of their work we feel confident in predicting for them an extensive business in this community. These patent window curtains are the invention of J. O. Chandler. They are constructed of thinly shaved slats of spruce pine, attached firmly together by flexible thread. They are very light and adjustable, and with proper handling will last an ordinary lifetime. They present a beautiful appearance, especially after night when the room is illuminated.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCES.—For one single season we think our well-to-do citizens have this year accomplished much in the line of building fine residences. That of Mr. L. White on the corner of Washington and Park, Mr. Eugene Semple on Yamhill and 14th, Gen. Babbitt on Oak street, Capt. R. R. Thompson on Fourth street, Elisha Corbett on Jefferson street, and others ranging from $4,000 to $10,000 each, would really be a credit to any city in the country—and all Portland has pride in them. Mr. Ira Goodnough is preparing to build a fine residence at the corner of Yamhill and Tenth streets next year, is putting in the foundation this season, and we hear of others fully able to put up palatial residences who propose to do so in 1871.

THEATRICALS.—The benefit given at Oro Fino Theatre last evening to Miss Lizzie Inglis was attended by a very large number of people. The "Chimney Corner," presented for the first time in this city, was most handsomely rendered. It is said by persons who are qualified to give an opinion, that, taken as a whole, the entertainment has never been surpassed on the Portland boards. We regret that engagements elsewhere prevented our attendance, and a better notice of those deserving it this morning from our hands.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—Mr. L. M. Starr returned from Puget Sound and Victoria last evening, where he has been on a business trip for some time past. Mr. Starr reports lively times in that region. There is an opposition all the way from the Cowlitz to Victoria, and fare has been placed at a ridiculously low figure. The *Alida* and *Eliza Anderson* are running a brisk opposition on the Sound. Mr. Starr is interested in the *Alida* and *Isabel*, both of which are mail steamers.

RECOVERING.—We are glad to hear that the little son of Mr. Risley, so badly injured a few weeks ago by the kick of a horse which was running at large in the streets, is recovering. The same horse, we learn, has lately kicked its owner, inflicting some painful [illegible]. It is bad to allow horses of any kind to run at large in the city, but a horse with natural proclivities to be mean more than any other, ought to be kept up.

THE WIDOW'S HOME.—Contributors to the fund to provide the widow of the late Wm. Dupenning with a home, will be gratified to learn that the building is now rapidly nearing completion, on its site provided by Mr. Cunningham, on Morrison street, near Thirteenth. The house has ample room for the fatherless children, and will make the widow and orphans a very comfortable home.

OUT OF SERVICE.—The days of usefulness have passed for the good old side-wheel steamer *John H. Couch* and the [illegible], and we understand they are to be broken up soon at the O. S. N. Co's shipyard, their machinery removed, and [illegible] like the *Fashion*, *Mountain Buck*, and many others that have been [illegible] disposed of [illegible] yard.

PERSONAL.—Hon. J. H. D. Henderson of Eugene City, paid us a brief visit last evening. He has been in attendance at the opening of the Pacific University at Forest Grove, and is returning home with his own private carriage. He will stop over at Salem a few days to watch the [illegible] of the Democratic Legislature now in session.

U. S. COMMISSIONER'S COURT.—[illegible] Sept. 13th 1870. In the matter of Martin [illegible] argument on demurrer to complaint closed [illegible]. Taken under advisement.

ARRIVAL.—The bark *Jane A. Falkinburg*, Free, master, arrived last night in tow of the steamer [illegible] at Couch's wharf where she will commence discharging cargo to-day.

[illegible]—[illegible] Peter [illegible] Justice Anderson [illegible] yesterday [illegible] and was [illegible]

BARK [illegible]—[illegible] yards on Yamhill [illegible] street, in this city, two very large [illegible] the second [illegible] the other, this year [illegible] the third [illegible]

REPAIRED.—The [illegible] having been fully repaired, will leave on her time to-day for [illegible]

MESSAGE.—There is a message at the office of the Western Union Telegraph company in this city, for Peter Risley.

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...NESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 14, 1870.

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[illegible]—The steamer Cascade was safely [illegible] on the ways yesterday, and her hull is [illegible] be in good condition, but she will be [illegible] repaired. Almost wholly made new [illegible]. The inspectors yesterday inspected a new [illegible], built by Mr. Fred Condon, and she [illegible] her upper works and proceed to business [illegible] the line of towing rafts, barges, etc. Mr. [illegible] has named his boat Reliable. [illegible] will make her first trip, since being [illegible] to Monticello to-day. [illegible] will clear to-day on her return [illegible] to San Francisco, taking 150 tons of [illegible] from Westport—finishing her cargo with [illegible]. The Idaho is discharging her railroad iron at [illegible] Portland dock. [illegible] Kentucky completed her cargo on Saturday [illegible], and is now ready for sea. She has on [illegible] cords of cottonwood bolts for the San [illegible] market. The schooner Klootchman, of Astoria, reached [illegible] last evening with a load of hemlock [illegible] for some of the canneries adjacent [illegible]. The steamer John H. Couch, soon to be reduced, [illegible] Capt. Charles Holman, at Westport, [illegible] winter of 1862.

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[illegible] Court.—Deady, J., Sept. 13th, [illegible] the matter of Martin Chapelle vs Cy... [illegible] Argument on demurrer to complaint [illegible] Hill for demurrer; Bronaugh contra. [illegible] under advisement.

[illegible]—The bark Helen W. Almy, Freeman, Master, arrived last night in tow of the [illegible], and was placed at her berth [illegible] wharf, where she will commence discharging cargo to-day.

[illegible].—A civil action, Norris vs Petris [illegible] out of some trouble on board the Gar... [illegible] compromised in court yesterday before [illegible] Anderson, costs paid, the jury dismissed [illegible] discontinued.

[illegible]—There is now burning at the [illegible] of Yamhill street and B street, in this city,, [illegible] large kilns of brick—making the second [illegible] of the companies, and the third for [illegible] this year.

[illegible]—The Josie McNear having been [illegible], will leave sometime to-day for Ce...

[illegible]—There is a message at the office of [illegible] Western Union Telegraph company in this [illegible]

PORTLAND BOARD OF TRADE.

The Portland Board of Trade met last evening at 7 30 at the Common Council rooms, pursuant to notice, William S. Ladd, Esq., in the chair.

Present—W. S. Ladd, President; John M Drake, Secretary; Messrs B. Goldsmith, John R. Foster, E. Beebe, John McCracken, P. C Schuyler, Jr.; M. S. Burrell, and I. S. Rosenbaum.

A communication from the Cincinnati Board of Trade and Board of Aldermen, calling attention of this Board of Trade to the Annual Convention in that city, commencing on the 14th day of August, 1871, was received and read, asking that delegates be sent from Portland.

On motion, the communication was referred to the appropriate committee.

The following report of the committee in the matter of the case of J. Lowenburg vs. the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, was then read by the Secretary:

REPORT.

J. Lowenburg vs. O. S. N. Co.

The the following is the Secretary's report of the case to the Board at its regular monthly meeting, September 13th, 1870:

Gentlemen: This case was submitted to the Committee of Arbitration on the following agreed statement of facts:

PORTLAND, Oregon, July 28, 1870.

Whereas, a difference has arisen between the Oregon Steam Navigation Company and J. Lowenburg growing out of the shipment of freight to Lewiston, under the following circumstances, viz: About the 27th of June, 1870, Mr. Lowenburg came to the office of the company and asked how long the company would wait for freight if he would ship a large amount during high water in Snake river. We asked him how much he had to ship, to which he replied, "from one to two hundred tons." We then asked him how long a time he wanted us to wait for the freight money, to which he replied, "till the 1st of December next." We remarked that that was a long time to wait for freight, and told him that as we were anxious to have Lewiston freight shipped while the water was high, we would wait till the 1st of November. Mr. Lowenburg insisted on the 1st of December, and finally, we told him if he would ship two hundred tons in July, we would wait till the 1st of December. He said he did not know that he would have quite that much, but thought he would. We then told Mr. Lowenburg that we had made it a rule to require of all shippers, who shipped on time, to give an acceptance or guarantee of some reliable house in Portland that the freights should be paid at the time agreed upon. Mr. Lowenburg said he did not think it would be necessary to give such guarantee; but when we insisted it was a rule we would not depart from, he gave us to understand it would be all right.

Eighty-five and three-fourths tons have been delivered at Lewiston, for which we hold bills against Lowenburg for $3,747 50. Heretofore Snake river has been navigable till about the last of August. This season, very much to the surprise of everybody, Snake river fell so rapidly that the *Owyhe* (loaded principally with Lowenburg's goods) in attempting to ascend Snake river, about the 19th day of July, inst., stuck on Pine Tree Rapids, and after making several attempts to go over, with great risk to the boat and cargo, the Captain decided to return to Wallula, and did return, and stored all the Lewiston freight at Wallula.

Mr. Lowenburg claims that he made a contract with the company to deliver two hundred tons of freight at Lewiston, if shipped in July; the company deny it, and claim that agreeably to custom and the condition of the receipt (a copy of which is hereto attached) that, failing to get to Lewiston on account of the low water, Mr. Lowenburg is under obligations to receive his freight at Wallula and pay the usual freight to that place, or leave his goods in store until such time as the company can ship the goods on one of their steamers to Lewiston.

This being the cause of difference, it is hereby mutually agreed that the matter shall be referred to the Board of Trade of the City of Portland, and each agree to abide the decision of the said Board. It is agreed that the parties hereto may appear in person or by attorney before the committee of the said Board of Trade.

[Signed] J. C. AINSWORTH,
Pres't. O. S. N. Co.
J. LOWENBURG.

The form of receipt referred to is that of an ordinary "shipping receipt."

The Arbitration Committee held a meeting on the 26th of August, 1870, for the hearing of the case, at which all the members were present. After a due consideration of the case and the evidence adduced, the committee rendered the following award:

That Lowenburg shall receive at Wallula the forty-seven tons of freight, which was left there, paying freight on the same, at the regular rates of freight, to that point, and be allowed a rebate on his freight bills of $625 in full of all damages; and that all freight moneys shall be payable on the 1st of December, and that the said Lowenburg shall enter into guarantees for the payment of the same.

One member of the committee dissented from the decision and award.

From this decision of the Arbitration Committee the company appealed, and the case came up before the Committee of Appeals, for a rehearing, on the 2d of September. The case was examined anew from the beginning, including a rehearing of the evidence. Before rendering any award, the committee decided the following questions involved in the case, by vote, as follows, to wit:

1st. Can the Oregon Steam Navigation Co. be held liable for the transportation of goods, during the period of low water, to the terminus of the route, either by land or water, under an ordinary shipping receipt, and in the absence of any special or implicit agreement; for example, the shipping receipt given for freight, shipped by Allen & Lewis, July 16, 1870, to wit: 300 mats of rice, marked J. L., Lewiston?

The vote was in the negative on this question.

2d. Whether the evidence concerning the conversation between Capt. Ainsworth and S. G. Reed on the one part, and Mr. Lowenburg on the other, justified Lowenburg in supposing that he was making an arrangement which insured the delivery of his goods at Lewiston during the season and in reasonable time; and whether all the attending circumstance, the ordinary stage of water at the time of year to which the shipment was restricted, the maturity of freight bills, the consideration by way of compensation to both parties, warranted such a conclusion?

The vote on this question was unanimously in the affirmative.

3d. Whether the Oregon Steam Navigation Co. have proved that they used due diligence and every exertion in their power to carry the goods to Lewiston by boat?

The vote on this question was unanimously in the negative.

The following is the award of the committee:

AWARD.

That the Oregon Steam Navigation Company is bound to deliver the goods (forty five tons or thereabouts) which were left at Wallula, at Lewiston at schedule rates, either by land or water, by any practicable conveyance, to be shipped from Wallula in a reasonable length of time, not to exceed thirty days; or failing to do so, shall deliver them to said Lowenburg at Wallula, to be transported to Lewiston at the expense of the said company.

The vote on the award was unanimous. One member of the committee was absent at the time it was rendered. Respectfully submitted,
JOHN M. DRAKE, Sec'y.

Portland, Sept. 13, 1870.
Stout for Lowenburg.
Strong for O. S. N. Co.

On motion of Mr. Goldsmith the report was ordered on file.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Secretary reported that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board, he had procured a seal, appropriate to the purposes, at an expense of $17 60. A warrant was ordered to be drawn in payment for the same.

Mr. McCraken inquired whether the Secretary had informed the various Boards of Trade in the country in relation to the rates of tonnage and pilotage on the Columbia bar, and the President assured him that the order had been attended to.

Mr. Green inquired whether there was any rule requiring the prompt attendance of members of the Board. The President informed him that there was not.

Mr. Goldsmith suggested the propriety of discussing the decisions of the Committee on Appeals. Mr. Green objected.

Mr. Rosenbaum suggested the idea of imposing a license upon a class of mercantile "drummers," as the operations of such dealers generally had a tendency to interfere with the legitimate trade. He stated that he had a bill drawn up, by a competent attorney, regulating the matter, which it was proposed to send to the legislature.

Mr. Goldsmith inquired of the gentleman whether such a law would be constitutional, and whether any of the older States of the Union had ever enacted similar regulations.

Mr. Rosenbaum replied that he could not state of his own knowledge whether such was the case, but that he had been informed that such a law was in force in many States, and that he had no doubt of the constitutionality of such act. It was but justice to the merchant and dealer who paid his State, county municipal, and other taxes, and was protection against another class who paid none of these tributes.

Mr. Green stated that years ago, when he was in New York, most of the large establishments doing business had one or more "drummers" traveling continually, and he had never heard of any one of them being compelled to take out a license within the limits of the United States. He gave it as his opinion that the act would not be a valid one, if passed.

Mr. Rosenbaum assured the Board, upon authority of Judge Deady that such a law was in force in two or more of the Eastern States.

Mr. President asked: Will not "drummers" come under the head of peddlers?

Mr. Goldsmith: A peddler carries his wares with him, the "drummer" does not.

Mr. Schuyler addressed the Board upon the interpretation of a certain part of the by laws, relating to the action of the Board when only a quorum was present, concerning appeals, after which the Board adjourned.

ARRIVAL OF THE CALIFORNIA.

The N. P. T. Co's steamship *California*, E. Bolles, Commander, arrived from San Francisco at 6 o'clock last evening.

MEMORANDA.

Steamship *California* left San Francisco Sept. 10th at 11 30 A M; 11th at 8 A M exchanged signals with the Co's steamship *Oriflamme*, bound down; crossed Columbia river bar 13th at 5 15 A M; met Co's propeller *California* bound out; arrived at Astoria at 7.45 A M; left at 8 A M and arrived at Portland at 6 P M.

PASSENGERS.

Alvinza Hayward, wife and 2 servants, D W Burnside and family, Mrs T A Savier, 3 children and servant, Col James, U S A, and family, Rev D M Thorne and wife, D A Lancaster, Wm Vale, C D DeMore, E Breyman and wife, L E Blain, Chas Fishel, R Dinsmore, E Fox, M Jacobs, O Waidbass, Mrs Dr Elwert and child, E Milwain, Dr S Parker, J P Tunstall, Mrs Hach and 2 children, A Beck, Jos Freeman, J Barman, A Beck, A Goldsmith, Mrs C Cardinell, Geo S Baum, Rabbi Sheerschn and son, Miss J Wilson, Miss A Ackerman, J A Ratcliffe, A Kramer, J S Kast, Mrs H A Block and three children, S Falk, J B McGilvery and family, F S Aiken, John Watson, F S Mead, Wm Lentz, Miss Nellie Kelsey, Chung Lee and wife, A B Smith, J W Cochran and wife, J T Vail, Miss M Purvis, Ed Senor, J H Gillman, Miss S Hinckley, Mrs A Holland and child, Miss Nellie E Clark, P Kohn, C A Bowen, W H Lawson, L Bernheim, Henry Horst, Morris Wirt, A J Jackson, Miss Jennie Smith, Miss Alice Belmont, Miss Alice Brown, Mrs J D Robb and 2 children, Miss M Walton, Miss Fannie Woods, Col West, (W, F & Co's messenger), and 53 in steerage.

CENSUS OF OREGON.

RETURNS FROM FIFTEEN COUNTIES, COMPARED WITH RETURNS OF 1860.

	1870.	1860.
Jackson	4,769	3,736
Josephine	1,204	1,623
Marion	9,964	7,088
Clatsop	1,255	498
Columbia	863	532
Tillamook	408	95
Washington	4,250	2,801
Clackamas	5,992	3,466
Multnomah	11,585	4,150
Benton	4,553	3,074
Polk	4,711	3,625
Grant	2,252	New Counties.
Baker	2,063	
Union	2,556	
Umatilla	2,875	
	59,899	30,664

It will be seen that the population of Josephine county is smaller by 419 than in 1860. This is the only county so far that shows a falling off.

REAL ESTATE.—Reports of real estate transfers as follows were made yesterday:

PORTLAND.

P. Cohen and wife to L. Einstein and I. Bachman; lots 3 and 4 in block 232; warranty deed; consideration $776.

A. C. R. Shaw and wife to Philip Cohen; lots 3 and 4 in block 232; warranty deed; consideration $775.

J. T. Carter and wife to Henry Bellion; lot 6 in block 13 in Carter's Addition; warranty deed; consideration $400.

John H. Couch and wife to James McCowan; lot 3 in block 90 in Couch's Addition; warranty deed; consideration $100.

Portland Dray and Hack Company to Geo. Herrall; lots 2 and 8 in block 86½; warranty deed; consideration $1,725.

EAST PORTLAND.

John A. Carr to James Caseman; south half of block 263 in Aiken's Addition to East Portland; warranty deed; consideration $700.

INFANTRY BAND CONCERT.—The usual exercises at the Plaza this evening at 6 o'clock will consist of the following programme:

1. Quick Step.
2. Soldaten Polka.
3. Duet from "Massaniello"—*Verdi.*
4. Quadrille, "Allied Armies"—*Julien.*
5. Waltz, "Beautiful Danube."
6. Polka Redown.
7. Song, "Oh! ye Tears."
8. Fireman's March.

FIRST TRIP.—The locomotive Clackamas, McKinney, Engineer, has passed over the road for two days past with passenger trains, to the front and back. She is a fine engine, and takes the road equal to any of those which have preceded her.

SENTENCED.—Henry Wilson, convicted yesterday on trial before Justice Anderson was sentenced to six days imprisonment for stealing a gun and some blankets from George Diamond.

ON HER WHEELS.—The damaged locomotive, Portland, has again been placed on her wheels, and by this evening will be in the shops of the company undergoing repairs.

COUNTY COURT.—There will be a session of the County Court this day, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Sixth Biennial Session

SENATE—Morning Session.

SALEM, Tuesday, Sept. 13.

The Senate was called to order at 10 A. M. by President Fay.

The roll was called and all the members were recorded as present except Messrs. Stout, Pershbaker and Cochrane.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Adams, of the Christian Church, Salem.

THE HOUSE ORGANIZED.

A message from the House was read, announcing that it was organized and ready to proceed to business.

STATUTES AND LAWS.

Mr. Burch offered a resolution that the Secretary of State be requested to furnish each member of the Legislature with the statutes and the State laws passed in 1864, 1866, and 1868 also the rules and proceedings of the last session. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Holtzclaw offered a resolution that the Sergeant at-Arms is instructed to furnish each member of the Senate with six newspapers, the members respectively indicating their preference, which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Burch, the Sergeant at Arms was directed to notify the Secretary of State that the Senate is organized and desires stationery.

On motion of Mr. Cornelius, the Secretary of the Senate was required to have fifty copies of the rules of last session printed for the use of members.

COMMITTEE TO INFORM THE GOVERNOR OF ORGANIZATION.

Mr. Baldwin offered the following

Resolved, By the Senate, the House concurring, that a committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform His Excellency that the Houses are organized and ready to receive any communication he may desire to make.

The resolution was adopted.

The President appointed Messrs. Baldwin and Cornelius on the part of the Senate.

A message was received from the House announcing the reception and concurrence in Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1 and 2.

Also a message from the House inviting members of the Senate to take seats in the hall of the House at 2 P. M., to receive the message of the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Cornelius, the message was laid on the table, as the committee appointed to wait on the Governor had not yet reported.

A message was received from the House announcing the appointment of Messrs. Grant, Fulton and Starkweather on the part of the part of the House, in compliance with Senate Joint Resolution No. 2.

On motion of Mr. Trevitt, the Senate took a recess until 1.30 P. M.

Afternoon Session.

The Senate was called to order at 1.30 P. M. by President Fay.

The roll was called and all the members were recorded as present except Messrs. Stout, Pershbaker and Crawford.

Mr. Baldwin, from the committee appointed to wait on the Governor, reported that the Governor would deliver his Message at 2 P. M.

On motion of Mr. Trevitt, the report was accepted and the committee discharged.

Mr. Hendershott moved to adopt the report.

Mr. Baldwin moved to amend by accepting the invitation to meet in the hall of the House at 2 P. M.

Mr. Cornelius raised the point of order that the Senate had temporarily tabled the written invitation of the House.

The President ruled the motion made by Mr. Hendershott and the amendment made by Mr. Baldwin in order and said the invitation of the House could be accepted as well by motion as if the resolution was taken from the table and acted upon. The motion with the amendment prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Trevitt the Senate took a recess until 2 P. M.

On reassembling at 2 P. M., the Senate, in accordance with a resolution previously adopted, proceded to the hall of the House to hear the message of the Governor.

After the dissolution of the joint convention the Senate repaired to their hall and adjourned until to-morrow at 10 A. M.

HOUSE—Morning Session.

SALEM, Sept. 13, 1870.

House met at 9 A. M. and proceeded to make the allotment of seats, and ordered that the reports of the laws and decisions published of former sessions and the Supreme Court be furnished each member.

The Sergeant-at-Arms not being present, it was reported that he had made use of disrespectful language towards members because he could not select his own Page, which being corroborated, the office was declared vacant, and W. E. Howell of Clackamas, was elected to fill the vacancy.

It was resolved that members shall be each supplied with six copies of daily papers through the session.

The House adjourned after inviting the Senate to meet at 2 P. M. to hear the Message of Gov. Woods in Joint Convention.

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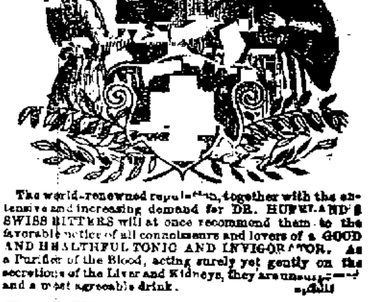

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JOHN DAY AND OCHOCO VALLEYS.

Mr. J. H. Fowler, who recently returned from a ramble east of the Cascade mountains, communicates the following to the *Farmer:*

We crossed the Cascades on the mountain road leading up the south fork of the Santiam, and over to Crooked River and Ochoco valleys, then over a passable road to the Dalles and Canyon City road near what is known as the Mountain House, then up that road to the upper part of John Day valley. I was very agreeably surprised to find such an extent of farming and grazing land, and so much of it occupied and under such a good state of cultivation, and the amount of grains and vegetables being raised. In the John Day valley, for a distance of sixty or seventy miles, the principal part of the best land is fenced and under cultivation, with comfortable looking dwellings, and many barns well filled, and mowers, reapers, and threshers and other implements of husbandry, provided and in use, as with the farmers in the Willamette valley. Crops, when I left John Day valley, were being harvested, and all agreed that the yield would be good. The foundation elements of plenty and comfort are already laid, and improvements of convenience and taste are starting. Several saw mills are in operation, and others are talked of. One flouring mill at John Day City, owned by McCullum & Hazeltine, can turn out 500 pounds of flour per hour.

Considerable attention is being paid to fruits of every kind raised on this upper coast, and so far as I could judge, with promise of success. Messrs. Fiske and Rinehart, within three miles of Canyon City, on high table land, have an orchard of three thousand fruit trees, composed of nearly all the best varieties of apples, and some of the best varieties of pears, peaches, plums and cherries. Their orchard is young—just beginning to bear—and the trees present a healthy appearance and vigorous growth. They raised this season cherries (Kirtland's Morello) ripened the last of June; strawberries, currants and gooseberries, ripening from the middle of June to the 4th of July. Some apples, pears, grapes and Lawton blackberries were growing, and had every appearance of maturing in season—time there, August 3d. Last season these gentlemen raised 10,000 pounds of tomatoes, and have this year about 2,500 plants, which promise a heavy crop. Their orchard is square, and the trees set one rod apart.

These men believe that where irrigation is necessary, the sooner the whole surface of the ground can be shaded, the less water will be required, and the trees will be more vigorous and prolific. Others here, however, hold different views. Time and faithful experiment will no doubt settle the question.

Irrigation is required, in all cases, to insure crops of any kind, and water ditches are found on every farm; water is plenty, and easily controlled, for irrigating purposes.

There are several other orchards, ranging from one hundred to five hundred trees in each—some of which are looking fine and healthy, but they are mostly on the river bottoms, where they are more liable to be affected by the spring frost. At Canyon City and John Day City there are several trees now bearing peaches, and have every appearance of maturing in season. I am of the opinion that any of the table lands in Grant county are well adapted to fruit-raising where water can be had for irrigating purposes, and that all of the tender vegetables can be, and are being, raised to as great perfection as here in the Wallamet.

The mining interest of this county is considerable, and the facilities for doing it are extensive, and much more has been done in that business than I had anticipated.

The hot mineral springs in this county are attracting considerable attention, and many are resorting to them and trying their healing virtues. One lot of them is situated at the head of John Day valley, just at the foot of the Blue Mountains. They are surrounded with hills mostly covered with timber. These are claimed by a Mr. Howe, and are superintended by Dr. Anderson, who has erected a bathing house with bathing tubs. The others are some thirty-five miles down the river, and about two miles north of the road leading to Canyon City, and are twelve miles from the city. These springs are claimed by Mr. William Armstrong, who has a house there, and is accommodating invalids with board and lodging, as well as bathing facilities. These springs are in a gulch or canyon, and surrounded with high bald hills covered with bunch grass.

The water of all these springs is about the same temprature, and perhaps about the same in mineral properties. Many almost fabulous cases are reported and talked of, from bathing in and drinking of the waters. Time and further investigation will no doubt determine their merits.

Ochoco, Crooked River, Willow Creek, and other valleys in that locality, are settling up very fast, and for stock raising as far as tried are good. The limited farming done here has demonstrated the fact that small grains will do well, and many of the garden vegetables. Some very fine gardens have been grown there this season, and a portion of Ochoco valley begins to look like civilization—good log cabins, farms fenced, grain growing, with many other improvements to make home comfortable. A respectable log house has been built in the midst of the first settlement that was made in which they have had several schools, and for over a year have had a Sabbath school in successful operation. They want a library, and a donation of one by some wealthy person or society would be bestowing where it is needed. There is one saw mill erected in the valley, which did but little work before the water failed. Another is in course of construction, and I was informed by the projectors that they would have it running by the time water is plenty. A flouring mill will soon be needed in some one of these valleys, if farming increases with the settlement; now all the supplies of breadstuffs have to be hauled either from the Dalles or the Willamette valley.

Some few fruit trees were put out in Ochoco valley the past season, but nothing of certainty can be said as to whether fruits will succeed there or not. Wild fruits, such as the currant, gooseberry and "sarvis," grow to perfection. This, however, is a high region, and so near the perpetual snow peaks, that it will be liable to frosts, which at times will kill vegetation, and even grain. Stock-raising must be the main business of this region, and for butter and cheese making is equal to any locality in essentials for that purpose.

The distance from any shipping point of both Ochoco and the John Day country, makes it of the utmost importance to them to have as good wagon roads to and through them as can reasonably be made.

Congress, however, has given to the State grants of land to aid in opening up roads to all of the eastern regions of the State, and the State Legislature has given the same to certain road companies—however, without such restrictions and conditions as were right and reasonable, and which ought to have been made. Of this, however, and those roads, I will speak hereafter, as I have, within a little over a year, traveled some distance on each of the three roads. If grave rumor, and the fears of some persons interested in having good roads made from those grants be well founded, there is danger of perversion of the plain intention of Congress, by at least one company. The coming Legislature will only do its duty by investigating the whole matter.

Eastern Commercial Affairs.

[From the San Francisco Bulletin.]

NEW YORK, August 27, 1870.

The instability of the Gold market, together with the feelings of suspense touching the eventualities of the great European war, have an unfavorable effect upon trade. In leading manufactures, such as dry goods, there is a fair business in prospect, but those commodities which are directly influenced by Gold are difficult to move, owing to the derangement of values. There is very little change in the position of the general markets, since currency prices do not respond to the spasmodic movements of Gold to anything like the extent they formerly did, for the reason probably that the mercantile classes do not regard the premium as a fair measure of the paper dollar, inasmuch as it is, to a great extent, regulated by mere speculative cliques. In a majority of cases, the tendency of prices is to a lower range, though some few commodities are higher through scarcity. One of these is Wool, fine California selling at 30 and 35c. The market, however, has been pretty well swept of choice Spring clip, and manufacturers, as a consequence, are falling back on Western. The drouth has so dried up the manufacturing streams in the Eastern States that production has been greatly curtailed; but this helps the goods market, and hence manufacturers are beginning to lay in supplies of the raw material before Wool goes higher.

EFFECT OF THE WAR ON AMERICAN INTERESTS.

Events have demonstrated the fallacy that American commerce, as a whole, can derive any benefit from the war in Europe. A little reflection was all that was necessary to make this plain to most minds at the outset. Most of our commercial gains, as is well known, flow from our exchanges with foreign nations, and if the assumption that our commerce must increase by means of the Franco-Prussian war were tenable, then our trade and industry would attain to a wonderful degree of prosperity if all the nations with which we have business relations were engaged in a deadly strife. The idea that we should prosper during the Continental war, in short, was too preposterous to be entertained by practical and experienced business men, but a great many superficial observers, and a considerable portion of the press who adopted it, now see their mistake. There is scarcely a single export staple but what is selling at a lower price to-day than before the declaration of war. The exportation of Cotton and Tobacco has been almost entirely cut off, while there is scarcely any of our leading commodities that have gone abroad on so extended a scale as before the war. And as for the imports, they are, in the aggregate, larger than before, though certain kinds of French and German goods are not coming forward quite so freely. Should the war be a protracted one, there must, of course, be a material limitation of supplies, as the withdrawal of two or three millions of men from manufacturing enterprise must inevitably lead to a great falling off in production. And the impoverishment of the people by war will also have the effect to decrease the demand for American products in Germany and France. Already the receipts of some of the goods we usually draw from the region about that portion of the Rhine which is near the theatre of war, are decreasing, and higher prices are demanded by importers. This is notably the case with Woolens, Hosiery, Plush, Linens, Glue, etc., which we usually draw in considerable quantities from such places as Metz and the neighboring manufacturing centres, in the arrondisement of which that beleaguered city is the capital.

With the curtailment of our export trade, freights to trans-Atlantic ports have declined; and the happy anticipations of Crimean war rates have vanished into thin air. That we shall have a moderately good market abroad for our great food staples in any event however, there is no good reason to doubt, since the greater portion of Western Europe has been as unfortunate as our own country has been blessed with good crops. But after the "sober second thought," our Grain dealers appear to have given up all idea of an extreme range of prices.

THE CHINA AND INDIA TRADE AND SUEZ CANAL.

The feasibility of bringing tea from China via Suez by steam without breaking bulk, or the reverse, will soon be determined. I learn from private advices, just at hand, that the iron screw steamer *Magdala*, with 1,000 tons of new crop tea, was to sail from Shanghae for New York, via Suez, on or about July 15th, and may be looked for in about sixty-five days from the day of her departure. The *Magdala* is not considered a fast sailer, but her owners guaranteed a sixty-five days' passage. After she was chartered, two other parties offered steamers under guarantee of performing the voyage in fifty-six days, and one of them, I understand, will be accepted in case the *Magdala* venture proves successful. In that event other China goods will take the same route.

There is a prospect that the still more valuable trade of Calcutta will take the Suez route, eventually. A railway is now in course of construction from Bombay to Calcutta, and when completed, the latter port will be brought three or four thousand miles nearer to New York than it is at present, by cutting off the great promontory of Hindostan. The completion of the railroad in question will be pretty certain to revolutionize our Calcutta trade. The eventualities of our late war have led to great changes, transferring our India carrying trade from American to foreign bottoms, but these new enterprises, at which I have briefly glanced, must inevitably lead to still more important changes. It is unfortunate that our countrymen, by being bound hand and foot, are unable to take a "hand in" these peaceful revolutions, which are silently taking place in the Eastern world.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

The fluctuation of Five-twenties during the week has not been so wide as might have been expected, considering the feverish state of Gold, and the decline at London. The return of bonds from Europe has ceased, and prominent bankers, German included, look for steady moderate remittances hence. The investment demand here at the moment is light, the Pacifics monopolizing the attention of large investors, because of the better return from the latter.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 8 o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Multnomah Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M. holds regular Councils every Monday evening at the Eighth Run, at Oregon Wigwam, in Carter's building, corner Alder and Front Sts. my6dtf By order of THE SACHEM.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street. By order of M. E. H. P.

G. A. R.—Baker Post No. 1.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month, at Nonpareil Hall, corner First and Madison sts. All comrades in good standing invited to attend. By order of POST COMMANDER.

U. A. O. D.—Regular meetings of Morvin Grove, No. 2, on Thursday evening of each week, at 8 o'clock, in Druid's Hall, Front street, near Stark. Members of Sister Groves and sojourning Brethren are cordially invited to attend.
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September 10, 1870. s12d1taw2t

Legal.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court, State of Oregon, county of Multnomah, to me directed, in favor of [illegible] against W. W. Chapman and M. F. Chapman, his wife, for the sum of four hundred and thirty [illegible] dollars principal and interest and costs. And by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah, to me directed, in favor of W. S. Ladd and against W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman, his wife, for the sum of [illegible] dollars in U. S. gold coin, principal and interest in like coin, and the further sum of [illegible] and the further sum of three hundred and fifty [illegible] Attorney's fees, and costs, I have this 1st day of [illegible] A. D. 1870, levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit: [illegible] land claim of [illegible] Margaret F. Chapman [illegible] W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman, his wife [illegible] bounded on the north by lands conveyed by said W. W. and Margaret F. Chapman to Jacob Kamm, on the west by the western boundary of said donation claim, and on the east by the [illegible] together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Therefore, by virtue of said execution and order of sale, I will sell on the 1st day of October, 1870, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., in front of the Court House in said county, all the right, title and interest of the said W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman, his wife, in and to the said premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder therefor, to satisfy said execution and said execution and order of sale.

C. BILLS, Sheriff
sep2d3wlw Of Multnomah County, Oregon

NOTICE.—In the matter of the petition of Charles Eadon for a change of name of Charles Bartels. Now on this day comes the petitioner, Charles Eadon, in person and by his Attorneys, Whalley & Fechheimer, and move the Court for an order and decree changing the name of said petitioner from Charles Eadon to Charles Bartels, in accordance with the prayer of petitioner filed herein. And it appearing to the Court that due public notice of said application has been given, and from the evidence submitted that the matters alleged in said petition are true. It is therefore ordered and decreed that the name of said petitioner, Charles Eadon, be and the same is hereby changed to Charles Bartels, and that public notice of said decree be given by publication in the DAILY OREGONIAN for ten successive days.

(Signed) E. HAMILTON, County Judge.
Attest: A true copy. C. W. PARRISH, Clerk.
By Jas. W. Davis, Deputy. s12d10t

SUMMONS.—Justice's Court for the Precinct of North Portland.—State of Oregon, County of Multnomah.—[illegible] W. Whipple, plaintiff, vs L. Smith, defendant.—Civil action to recover money.

To L. Smith, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the Precinct aforesaid, on the 1st day of October, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of said Justice, in said Precinct, to answer the above named plaintiff in a civil action. The defendant will take notice, that if he fail to answer the complaint herein, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of seven ($7 00) dollars and the costs of this action.

Given under my hand this 10th day of August, 1870.

SAM. A. MORELAND, Justice of the Peace.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon.—Notice is hereby given that a third general meeting of creditors of McCauley & Ginn, bankrupts, will be held at Portland, on the 29th day of September, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy, for the purposes named in the 28th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867, and that I will file my final accounts as assignee of said estate in said Court, and that on the said 29th day of September, 1870, I shall apply to said Court for the settlement of my said accounts, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate in accordance with the provisions of the 28th section of said act.

s8l1aw2t B. F. BONHAM, Assignee.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

CREDITORS MEETING.—In the matter of the estate of C. A. Westfall, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. There will be a second general meeting of the creditors of the above named bankrupt, held at the office of W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, Portland, Oregon, on the 29th day of September, 1870, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M., for the purposes specified in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

SAM. A. MORELAND,
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NOTICE.

HOLDERS OF TICKETS to the GIFT CONCERT in aid of the Mercantile Library Association, are hereby notified, that the Concert is postponed until

Monday, October 31st, 1870.

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This is positively the only postponement which will be made. The Concert will take place on the day above named, commencing at nine o'clock, A. M., and to continue until all the gifts have been awarded.

The funds already in bank are considerably more than sufficient to insure the successful completion of the contract with ticket holders.

The sale of tickets will positively close on Friday, the 28th day of October, 1870.

All the tickets remaining unsold at that time will be withdrawn from sale and cancelled. They will be advertised by their numbers, on the 29th day of October, 1870, in one or more of the daily papers of this city. Any diminution will be made in the number of tickets to be drawn, will not affect the number or amount of gifts. They will be, as heretofore advertised, to wit: 625 gifts amounting in all to $500,000 gold.

Ticket holders residing out of San Francisco, who may receive duly certified lists of the awards of Gifts, which will also be published in the leading San Francisco daily papers, on the 1st November, 1870.

Delivery of gifts will commence November 2d, 1870, at the office No. 328 California Street, to all parties presenting tickets to which gifts have been awarded. All gifts awarded to non residents will be held to their order and for their account.

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RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION.

This association of whose organization we gave an account a few days since, is now ready to dispose of shares. As it is with one exception, (the Portland Homestead Association,) the pioneer organization of that kind in this city, it may be well enough to state what are its purposes, and the manner in which it is proposed to conduct its operations. The purposes of these Homestead Associations are not at all speculative in the ordinary sense of the word. They are dependent for the profits of their investment upon the natural advance in the value of their lands, consequent upon the co-operation of many individuals—shareholders—and the advance on values of all surrounding lands by reason of the expansion of population and demand for room outside of, but still near, the city. The Riverside Homestead Association has a fraction over one hundred and twenty acres of land situated just south of Brooklyn on the east side of the river, the nearest boundary line being about one mile from the ferry landing at East Portland. The tract lies in one strip along the Wallamet river, half a mile in length, and another strip along the Oregon and California railroad, half a mile in length, the two strips being connected near the middle by two rows of blocks (with a street between them,) the whole forming a figure not unlike the letter H. It is divided into 76 blocks, 200 feet square (with streets running at right angles) and 80 fraction al lots, along the river front. The shares number 600, worth $60 per share. It will be seen that a share thus represents nearly a lot with an undivided interest in the 80 fractional lots. The 80 fractional shares are to be sold off at the proper time for the benefit of the Association, shareholders coming in for the proceeds in proportion to the number of shares held. When all shares are taken and the Association shall determine to do it, the choice of lots and blocks will be put up at auction to the highest bidder, the proceeds of such sales, after deducting the original price of shares or lots, to be divided equally among the whole number of shares. Thus, if a person wants a particular lot or block, and is willing to pay $100 or $800 premium (more or less as the case may be) he pays it and takes the lot or block as his individual property, the premium being divided among the whole number of shareholders. It will be seen, therefore, that everything is co-operative, and all interests mutual. No man can make a dollar out of it without also making a dollar for every other equal shareholder. There is no chance for loss, unless the property, by some chance, should depreciate far below the first actual cost. Whether this is liable to happen in the case of this particular tract of land must be judged by each for himself, but considering the steady and unprecedented advance on real estate in this city and neighborhood, and at East Portland and vicinity, for the last year or two, it seems hardly possible for values to go back.

In the Riverside Association all proper precautions seem to have been taken to guard against monopolies of shares. No person is allowed to buy more than the number of shares representing three blocks, or twenty-four lots, and votes determining the operations of the Association are restricted in the same manner. The buyers of shares may pay down $60 per share, which will exempt them from all assessments, or they may pay $15 quarterly with an assessment of $3 per share, payable with the first installment, being liable in this latter case to another (and only one other) assessment of $3 per share. Upon the payment of the shares in full, with the assessments as above, the holder is entitled to his certificate and his proportion of all the profits accrued from all sources. No officer of the Association receives any pay for services except the Secretary, who gets $25 per month; so it will be seen that the expenses must be light.

That part of the tract lying along the river is a high plateau, nearly level, about 60 to 90 feet above the water. There is no part of the front row of blocks but commands a splendid view of Portland and the river for miles up and down stream. That part of the tract lying along the railroad is, every foot of it, of the richest loam soil, and adapted to gardening purposes. A beautiful little stream of pure water runs through almost the entire length of this wing of the tract, affording the means of irrigation, and power sufficient to supply pure water to every part of the whole tract. There is not a waste lot or fractional lot in the entire tract. Under all these advantages, it would seem impossible that there should be any chance of loss to shareholders. Within a year each shareholder, if he choose, may get a perfect title to as many lots as his shares may represent, or he may continue his interest, undivided, with the Association while the organization may exist.—*Oregonian.*

THE RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION.

We have been led to make these remarks from the fact that the subject of making homesteads on the outskirts of the city and East Portland, is being thoroughly discussed here among all classes, and one homestead—the "Riverside," just south of East Portland—has already been established. The site selected is a tract of land lying a little over a mile south of the ferry landing. It is shaped like the letter H, one arm of which, a half mile in length, borders on the river.

From this portion of the homestead, which is elevated but a trifle above the other prong of the H, but is still fully fifty feet above the river, can be had an extensive view of Portland, East Portland, the shipping, and the Willamette river for several miles. The land is very fertile, and is partly covered with light fir timber. A track of land just wide enough for two rows of blocks, with an avenue between them, connects the west prong of the H (which has already been described) with that of the east. This last tract of land is in a beautiful little valley, which is now under a high state of cultivation. Through its whole length runs a trout brook, the water of which is clear as crystal. With a hydraulic ram the Association [illegible] have water conveyed through [illegible] every [illegible] of the homestead.—*Daily Bulletin.*

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Name		Lot	Block	Tax.
Bannan, D,		W ½	312	$1 03
Bail, M P,		6,7,8	58	3 09
Capen, T J,	Carter's Add	W ½	12	4 12
"	"	W ½	13	4 12
"	Caruthers' Add	4	21	6 75
Cotter, W D,	"	1	26	1 03
"	"	2	26	51
"	"	3	26	6 15
"	"	4	26	51
"	"	5	26	61
"	"	6	26	61
"	"	7	26	51
"	"	8	26	51
Cutler, Hayden & Co,		2	227	77
Cutson & Porter,		3,6	226	4 12
"	Couch's Add	3	49	3 59
Cutson, J C,		4	55	10 30
"		4	55	15 39
"		1	104	4 17
"		3	104	6 18
Cutson, Mrs J C,		5	115	10 30
Church, Methodist,		1,2	23	41 20
Church, Catholic,		all	103	41 20
Church, Episcopal,		1,2,3,4,5,6	53	72 10
Coffin, Stephen,		all	287	1 54
"		all	289	1 54
"		all	294	1 54
"		all	295	1 54
"		all	296	1 54
"		all	297	1 54
"		all	298	1 03
"		all	299	1 03
"		all	300	1 03
"		all	301	1 03
"		E ½	302	1 03
Fleischner, Jas	Caruthers' Add	5	21	2 06
"		6	21	2 06
Flavgar & Gilkinson,		3	274	51
Kemper, F,		3	139	1 03
"		4	139	1 03
Miner, James,	Couch's Add	5	24	77
"	"	6	21	2 06
"	"	7	24	77
Miller, Samuel,	(Fractional,)	5	A	5 66
[illegible], John,	2 15 feet	2	16	22 66
Paynel, J W,	Couch's Add	2	112	6 18
Portland Academy,		all	233	61 90
Powell, W S,		all	284	1 03
Penn, Harry,	Caruthers' Add	5,6	64	1 03
Jos, Geo & Christina, King's Claim, 44 Road Tract NE				2 57
Raleigh, P, Est of		1	86	4 12
Stephens, Thos,		S ½ 1	6	10 30
"		N ½ 5	6	92 70
Stout, Susan C,		2	288	8 24
"		8	206	4 12
Upton, J B,		all	246	5 15
"		all	253	10 30
Unknown owners	Caruthers' Add	5	6	1 03
"		6	6	1 03
Van Rensselaer, J O		8	9	6 00
"		4	3	3 09
"		4	15	14 42
"		1	148	15 45
"		2	148	15 45
"		7	148	5 15
"		8	148	5 15
Walker, Nathan, Lygon Tract Lying	Sec 4 T 1 S R 1 E			2 06
Willamette Lodge, F & A M,		1,2	150	10 30

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PHILIP SAUNDERS, City Marshal.
Portland, August 20, 1870. au26dtd

Salmon Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No. 843, for the improvement of that part of Salmon street lying between First and Twelfth streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 814, on the lots fronting and abutting on said streets as well as upon the lots liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles with said Salmon street, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessment.
52	N ½	City of Portland	$157 21
Park	South side		91 44
261	7,8	Est of W. M. King	90 58
261	1,2,7,8	C. M. Carter	375 11
F	1,2,7,8	K Russell	429 40
51	4	H. W. Davis	48 85
Park	North side	M O Lownsdale	89 87
26	3,4,5,6	Portland Water Co	428 21
			1,720 66

By order of the Common Council.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk
Sept. 6, 1870. s6d10t

Morrison Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No. 841, for the improvement of Morrison street between First and Second streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 800, upon the lots and parts of lots hereinafter named, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessment.
14	1	C. Goodenough	$411 05
	E 10 feet 8	City of Portland	353 66
	W 30 feet 8	J. A. Davenport	134 40
15	4	James Terwilliger	400 68
	5	L. A. Godard, et als	455 77
			1,803 16

By order of the Common Council.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Sept. 3, 1870. s6d10t

First and South First Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of First and South First streets lying between Madison and Lincoln streets by grading; and that part of First street lying between Madison street and the South line of Harrison street by laying a roadway of four-inch plank sixteen feet in width, wholly covering the intersections with plank, and the construction of aprons.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Sept. 9, 1870. s9d10t Auditor and Clerk.

Front and South Front Streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Front and South Front streets between the south line of Harrison street and the north line of Lincoln street by grading and laying a roadway, twenty feet wide.

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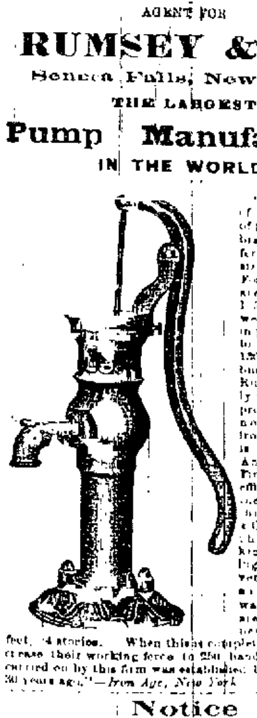

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